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Corner Spring and West Water Sts.

WE would intimate to our friends, both in town and country, that having added greatly to our facilities for doing Job Work, by the purchase of new material, we are prepared to execute, on the shortest notice, in the best style of the art, and on the most liberal terms, every variety of Printing such as

BOOKS,	CARDS OF ALL KINDS
PAMPHLETS,	HANDBILLS,
LABELS,	BILL & LETTER HEADS,
BALL TICKETS,	BLANKS,
BANK CHECKS,	BALLOTS, &c.

Also, PRINTING IN COLORS. ap14

BUSINESS CARDS.

DOCTORS.

DOCTOR DOUGLAS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN—Office corner of Wisconsin and Main streets. Dr. D. has always on hand, Medicines in the various dilutions, and Cases for physicians and families.

DOCTOR J. P. GREVES,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON—Milwaukee street, between Wisconsin and Mason streets, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Office corner of Wisconsin and Main sts.

LAWYERS.

AMASA PAINE...BYRON PAINE...HORTENSIUS J. PAINE.
PAINE & SONS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, and Solicitors in Chancery—Office Juneau Block, Milwaukee.

JOHN P. HALE.......................PETER STARR.
HALE & STARR,
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELLORS,
NO. 35, WALL STREET, ... *NEW YORK*

FINCH & LYNDE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW—Wisconsin street, above the Stage office.

G. VON DEUTSCH,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW. **Office—Martins Block,** *Corner of East Water and Wisconsin Streets.* my25] jdtf

CYRUS D. BOOTH,
NOTARY PUBLIC—At the Office of the "Free Democrat," Birchard's Block. je18

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. S. BROWN,
GUERRIAN GALLERY—Martin's Block, corner East Water and Wisconsin streets, Milwaukee. Persons visiting the city can have a good Likeness taken in a few minutes. Plates, Cases, Cameras, Chemicals, Gold Lockets, &c., for sale. Young men furnished with instruction and outfits complete.

ALEXANDER MARQUIS,
PORTRAIT PAINTER—Law Buildings, Wisconsin st. Milwaukee. nov21

P. L. MOSSIN,
ENGRAVER IN METALS AND WOOD—No. 8 Wisconsin street, opposite the Stage office, Milwaukee. Executes Official Seals, Notarial Seals, Seal Stamps for Societies, Stencils and Brands, and every kind of work in his line. feb20

P. BARKER,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN HATS, CAPS, MUFFS AND FURS—No. 194 East Water street, Milwaukee. Cash paid for Shipping Furs. june21-ly

J. C. GRIDLEY & CO.
DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, Groceries, Crockery, &c., **Ludington's Block,** corner of East Water and Wisconsin street, Milwaukee.

RACINE HOUSE,
WM. L. UTLEY.
apr21 RACINE. WISCO

A. K. WILLIAMS,
DEALER IN HARDWARE—Also Agent for Pittsburgh Glass, No. 25 Spring street, first door east of American House, Milwaukee.

TURTON & SERCOMB,
EAGLE STEAM FOUNDRY—West Water street Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

C. OTT!

BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER,

KEEPS ON HAND all kinds of German Books, including the choicest German Works, in Poetry, Literature, Science and Theology, at 575 East Water street. January 1, 1855. jan4dly

J. F. BIRCHARD,
MANUFACTURER and wholesale and retail dealer in Cabinet Ware, Sofas, Chairs, and Upholstery, No. 21 Spring street, (Birchard's Block,) Milwaukee. Splendid Fashionable Furniture, of the most graceful approved patterns, highly finished, made under the proprietor's personal supervision, of the very best materials, and by competent and experienced workmen. june28

WHITTEMORE & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS
And Manufacturers of every description of
BLANK ACCOUNT BOOKS,
No. 197 East Water Street, Milwaukee
dec14] MARTIN'S BLOCK. [dly

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
Madison, - - - - - - - - - **Wisconsin**

THE PROPRIETOR has furnished this Hotel anew throughout, and his Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.

The public patronage is respectfully solicited.
jan18dly G. DUTCHER.

MENOMONEE HOTEL,
—BY D. N. NEIMAN—
West Water Street, (near Spring Street Bridge,)
ja15] MILWAUKEE. [dyly

ANTI-HUMBUG STORE.
MICHAEL CROKE,
118 East Water street. - Milwaukee.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
READY-MADE CLOTHING.
Clothing made to Order with Neatness & Dispatch
une2 dtf

Wever's Dry Goods Palace,

IS considered the most fashionable store in town. A dress purchased at 152 East Water street, is a sufficient guaranty of its being fashionable. novd

THE HAWKINS HOUSE,
By W. A. Hawkins, Fifth Ward.

THIS HOTEL, (formerly the Lake House) has been enlarged, put in complete repair, refitted and newly furnished throughout, and will be open for the reception of guests on and after Wednesday next, Oct 3d.
Milwaukee, Oct 1. oct3dtf

BUSINESS NOTICES.

SPAAN'S OLD AND ORIGINAL BAZARR!
Nos. 9, 11, 13 and 15,
First Ward Market House.

H. SPANN informs his old and all new customers, that his Stalls are always supplied with the earliest and very best of **Seasonable Vegetables,** that a Green Grocer can keep, having the first choice from most of the Vegetable producers.

GRAND GALA EXHIBITION AND SALE OF FRUIT FLOWERS, VEGETABLES & PRODUCE EVERY SATURDAY, from 5 A. M. to 10 P. M. All purchases delivered without charge. je10dtf

HAVEN POWERS,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
Birchard's Block, Cor. Spring and West Water Sts.
Office Hours—8 to 12 and 2 to 5 1-2.
☞ COURT DAYS—TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

JACOB G. ECKEDAHL
Carriage Trimmer and Harness Manufacturer,
No. 57 Spring Street, - - Milwaukee,
FOUR DOORS WEST OF THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

Keeps on hand Saddles, Trunks, Whips, Carpet Bags &c., &c., at prices to suit the times.

☞ The public are invited to call and examine his stock. aug24dly

THOMAS VAUX,
(from New York,)
Window Shade Manufacturer and Sign Painter,
21 Mason Street, Milwaukee,
OPPOSITE THE CITY HOTEL.

☞ He has on hand a good assortment of the latest and best styles of washable Transparent Window Shades. Store Shades and Screens made at the shortest notice, and all kinds of Shades made to order.

☞ Emblems painted on Shades for I. O. of O. F., I. O. of R., S. of T., &c. Also, Sign Painting. sept9

PETER GOLDER...........................JAMES DENSMORE
GOLDER & DENSMORE,

ATTORNEYS & Counsellors at Law, and Solicitors in Chancery, will attend faithfully to all business entrusted to them. ☞ Elkhorn, Walworth county Wis. june27

J. McEWEN,
No. 193 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
HOLIDAY PRESENTS.
CONFECTIONERY AND TOY STORE!

CONFECTIONERY OF ALL OF HIS OWN MAKE. The Public are invited to call and try them
Milwaukee, Dec. 20, 1854 dec20dtf

GEO. DYER,
211 EAST WATER ST., MILWAUKEE.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
SADDLERY HARDWARE
Carriage Trimmings, Whips, Fly Nets, &c., &c.
dec15dtf

AMERICAN HOUSE.
P. KANE & SONS, Proprietors.

THIS HOUSE, having lately undergone extensive alterations, and been newly furnished, the proprietors flatter themselves that, by strict attention to the wants of their numerous guests, and reasonable prices, they cannot fail of making them feel at home while sojourning at their House. P. KANE & SONS.
Milwaukee, July 20, 1855. jy20dtf

T. COLLINGBOURN,
HOUSE & SIGN
PAINTER!
Removed to
MAIN, NORTH OF WISCONSIN ST.
dec23

GENTLEMEN'S
Silk and Gauge Merino Wrappers and Drawers, for Summer Wear—at the BEE HIVE.

MISSES'
Embroidered Muslin and Linen Collars—at the BEE HIVE.

MILLINERS'
Rich French Flowers, Blonde Laces, &c., &c.—at the BEE HIVE.

MATCHES! MATCHES!!

ALL Orders left at the Postoffice for R. W. PIERCE'S MATCHES will receive prompt attention.
Address, I. W. HIBBARD & CO.
Milwaukee, June 1, 1855. je1dtf

LIVERY, SALE AND EXCHANGE STABLE!
No. 35 Spring St., Milwaukee.
Horses and Carriages.
(DOUBLE AND SINGLE.)

Saddle Horses, for Ladies and Gentlemen; Omnibusses, open and covered; in fact, everything belonging to the Livery Business, can be had at this Stable.

Particular attention paid to boarding Horses and Carriages.

The undersigned flatters himself that he has **the largest, best and most complete stock of Livery in the West.** Thankful for the liberal patronage received for the last eight years, he would solicit a continuance of the same.

New and second-hand carriages, always for sale.

N. B.—For sale, two good, covered sleighs, two two-seated pony sleighs, and several Cutters—all from the West Troy (N. Y.) manufactories.

☞ One door west of the American House.
dec7dly **GEO. F. OAKLEY.**

PENDERGAST & WILSON,
Ambrotype, Daguerreotype, and Mezzograph PICTURES.
NO. 171 EAST WATER ST., (Up Stairs.)
MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN.
W. W. PENDERGAST. A. T. WILSON.
nov15dly

ALBANY STOVES,
From the Old Establishment of
RATHBONE & KENNEDY.

THE reputation of these stoves is well known; having been tested for years. Dealers will be supplied at Eastern prices, adding transportation, by
nov26d&w H. A. FOOTE,
153 East Water Street.

FRENCH CHINA!
—AND—
Fancy Glassware from the GREAT NEW YORK AUCTION SALE!

BLAIR & PERSONS ARE NOW OPENING a large stock of Plain, White and Band Dinner setts.

do	do	Tea	do.
Rich Decorated		do	do
do	do	and Plain Toilet	do

Rich Decorated Vases, Gift Cups, Pictures,
do do Spittoons, Mugs, Card Receivers,
do do and Plain Toy and Tea Setts, &c., &c.

Also a great variety of Bohemian Glass Ware, Terra Cotta and Parian goods, consisting of pitchers, vases, card trays, tete-a-tete setts, spoon-receivers, butter tubs, decanters, urines, &c., all of which were bought at auction and will be sold at lower prices than at any other establishment in the State. oct17

TAILORS' SHEARS; TAILORS' Trimmers; Tailor's Points; Bankers' Shears; Barbers' Scissors; Ladies' Scissors. All from the manufactory of H. Wendt, New York, warranted, and for sale by
nov30 H. A. FOOTE,
153 East Water Street.

BROTHER JONATHAN STOVES.

JUST RECEIVED a supply of these famous Cooking Stoves. Hundreds of them are in use in the city.—Those who want a stove can do no better than to give Brother Jonathan a trial. For sale at
nov30 H. A. FOOTE'S
Depot for Rathbone & Kennedy's Albany Stoves,
153 East Water Street.

JUST READ THIS!

P. BARKER has the nicest lot of **Furs, Hats, Caps, Gloves, &c.** Just the things for the Holidays. Call and see them, at
dec24 **162 East Water Street**

STEEL FIRE-IRONS.

A LARGE variety of fine Polished Steel Fire-Irons, in pairs or sets. Also, Brass Head Polished Fire-Irons for sale, by H. A. FOOTE.
nov30 *153 East Water Street.*

FORWARDING & COMMISSION

WM. B. ALVORD,
PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT
Higby's Brown Warehouse,
West Water Street,
Milwaukee, Wis.

REFER TO
A. Mitchell, Esq. Pres. Wis. Marine and Fire Insurance Co. Bank, Milwaukee.
M. S. Scott, Esq., Cashier State Bank, Milwaukee, Wis.
Messrs. Kneeland & Hull, Bankers, Milwaukee.
Messrs. H. W. Willard & Co., 9 Central Wharf, Buffalo, and 113 Broad Street N. Y.
Messrs. Mann, Vail & Co., Buffalo.
Messrs. Thayer, Rice & Co., Boston. apr12

Storage, Forwarding and Commission House,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN
1855. 1855.

Gardiner & Hibbard,
(SUCCESSORS TO I. W. HIBBARD.)
HELFENSTEIN WAREHOUSE.

All kinds of produce bought and sold. Advances made on property in store.
E. L. H. GARDINER, A. W. HIBBARD.
REFERENCES—E. Cramer, Pres't State Bank, Wis.
M. S. Scott, Cashier, do apr12

1855. 1855.

NICHOLS, BRITT & Co.,
PRODUCE, FORWARDING, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Dealers in Grain, Flour, Wool, Dried Fruits, Cheese, Water Lime, &c.

☞ Liberal Cash Advances made on property for sale in this or any of the Eastern markets.

☞ Agents for *Union Transportation Company, Griffith's Western Line, New York, Troy and Michigan Line.*

Consignments for the city and Country generally, respectfully solicited. All goods consigned to us will receive prompt attention.

BROWN WAREHOUSE, ERIE STREET,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.

Particular attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE, received per M. & M. Railroad, and M. & W. Railroad.

Office at the Grain Depot of the M. & M. Railroad.
M. S. NICHOLS. O. E. BRITT. H. A. NICHOLS.
REFERENCES:
E. Cramer, President State Bank Wisconsin.
M. S. Scott, Cashier " " "
Alex. Mitchel, President Wis. M. and F. Ins. Co. Bank.
David Ferguson Cashier. " " "
M. S. Hawley, Commission Merchant, Buffalo.
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PRODUCE & COMMISSION
DICKINSON & CO.
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
—AT—
BURNHAM'S NEW BRICK WAREHOUSE,
West Water Street, - - Fourth Ward,
MILWAUKEE.
R. HIBBARD. D. O. DICKINSON.

Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, Corn, Flour, &c.
BOUGHT AND SOLD.
Highest Market Price paid for Produce.
june 2

J. HOLTON & CO.,
FREIGHT FORWARDERS!

ON MONDAY, the 29th inst., the undersigned will commence the business of transporting Merchandise and Freight upon the Milwaukee & Mississippi Rail Road between Milwaukee and Madison and intermediate points, on the line of the road, and will give to the same such careful personal attention, as to secure safety and despatch in the transmission of goods, &c., entrusted to their care.

Orders sent by mail, or through our Agents at the several stations, will receive immediate attention, and the goods be forwarded without delay. A trusty Agent accompanies the train to whose care goods and orders may also be intrusted. The patronage of the Public is respectfully solicited.

Office—first building east of the Passenger Depot, Second Street.
Milwaukee, Feb. 21, 1855. feb21
J. HOLTON & CO.

COOKE, HALL & CO.,
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Dealers in Coal, Salt and Water-Lime,
MENOMONEE WAREHOUSE,
MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN.
CHA'S COOKE, Milwaukee. S. C. HALL, Whitewater
oct3d1

1855.
BELL & BEAN,
Produce, Commission & Shipping Merchants,
Brown Warehouse, West Water Street,
Agents for the **North-Western Iron Company,**
And General Dealers in all kinds of
Coal, Pig Iron, Fire Brick, Water Lime and Salt.
Milwaukee, Wis.
C. H. BELL, je23 W. L. BEAN.

IMPORTANT CHANGE!

The Undersigned have purchased the entire Stock of
CABINET WARE AND CHAIRS
OF SAMUEL C. NEWHALL,
No. 210 West Water Street.

WHERE THEY ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH everything in the line of Chairs, Stands, Bureaus, Desks, Show Cases, Tables Bedsteads, Sofas, Looking Glasses, Book Cases, &c., &c. They manufacture their own ware and can safely warrant every article they offer for sale, and will sell at as cheap a rate as can be obtained at any other store in the city. The public are respectfully requested to give them a call and examine the quality and price of their goods.

☞ Please, remember the number. 210 West Water street, (oct2d3m) E. NEWTON & CO.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

BLAIR & PERSONS,

FORMERLY F. J. BLAIR, 163 East Water street, Milwaukee, are now receiving their Spring stock of **CROCKERY WARE! AND GLASS**

to which they would invite the especial attention of Dealers in the country. Importing our Crockery direct from the Staffordshire Potteries, and buying our Glass and other Wares from Manufacturers in this Country, (thus saving one profit by purchasing from first hands,) we are prepared to furnish Country Dealers with goods in our line, on better terms, and at Lower Prices than any House in the West.

☞ Call and see us. BLAIR & PERSONS.
May 9, d&w

WINTER FASHION!
1856. 1856.

I **Have Received the Winter Style** of Gentlemen's DRESS HATS, and am ready to wait on customers. J. H. SILKMAN,
dec18 No. 152 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

NEW DRIED CURRANTS.

SMALL lot just received by PATTON & WILLIAMS
dec12 Corner Spring and West Water St's.

HAMBURG CHEESE,

1 TON, WARRANTED THE BEST IN the market—for sale by ROGERS & BRO.,
dec4 Austin's Block, Spring Street.

WANTED.

A GERMAN BOY—one that can come well recommended, with some knowledge of the Dry Goods business. None others need apply.
dec4dtf CHANDLER & JENNINGS

COME, AND ADMIRE THE RICH GOODS at the *DRY GOODS PALACE,* 152 East Water St. F. M. WEVER.

RAIL ROADS.

1854. M. C. R. R. 1854.
52 MILES SHORTEST ROUTE TO THE FALLS

Only 18½ Hours to Buffalo and Niagara Falls from Chicago, and 25½ Running Time from Milwaukee!

Only One Change of Cars and Baggage!

OVER THE NEW SHORT ROUTE, VIA
Michigan Central Railroad, Canada Broad Guage Railways, and Steamers on Lake Erie,

In connection with the New York Central, New York and Erie, Buffalo and New York City, and Elmira and Niagara Falls Railroads, to

New York, Boston, and all Eastern Roads from Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

FOUR DAILY TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO.

1. Cincinnati Express, at 5 A. M., via New Albany and Salem Railroad, through in 15 hours.

2. Express, at 5.45 A. M., connecting at Detroit with the Canada Railways, arriving at Niagara Falls and Buffalo next morning, in time for the Early Train East.

3. Steamboat Express, at 12.30 P. M., connecting at Detroit with the North Shore Steamers, arriving in Buffalo next afternoon in time for the 5 P. M. Train, arriving in New York next morning. Connecting also with Steamers for Cleveland and the different lines of Railroads from there next morning to Pittsburg, Philadelphia, &c.

4. Express, at 7.45 P. M., connecting with Canada Railways, arriving at Niagara Falls and Buffalo next afternoon, and New York next morning. Connecting also with steamers for Sandusky.

Only One Train Sundays—7.15 P. M.

The New and Mammoth Low Pressure Steamers
WESTERN WORLD, C. C. STANARD, Master.
Leaves Detroit Tuesdays and Fridays.
PLYMOUTH ROCK, G. E. WILLOUGHBY, Master,
Leaves Detroit Wednesdays and Thursdays
MAYFLOWER, T. T. HUDSON, Master,
Leaves Detroit Fridays and Saturdays.

On the arrival of the Chicago Express at 10.15 P. M., going DIRECT THROUGH without landing, via North Shore, arriving in Buffalo in time for the 5 P. M. Train, and N. York the next morning at 9.15

The two new steamers were built this season at an expense of over *half a million* of dollars, and have *no equal in the world,* in every respect. Their capacity excels any steamer afloat, having 100 State Rooms, with double beds, and can accommodate 830 persons with berths.

Passengers purchasing through Tickets by Railroad all the way, can change them at Detroit and go by steamer; so also those purchasing tickets by steamer, can exchange and go by Railroad.

Baggage checked through from Chicago to Albany and New York, and no extra charge for handling, and no exchange of checks as by the Lake Shore Road via *Erie and Harbor Creek.*

☞ Tickets good for 90 days, allowing passengers to stop over on the route.

Two Boats a Day from Milwaukee.

Two of Capt. Clement's splendid Low Pressure Steamers leave Milwaukee daily, in connection with the above route, on the arrival of the car from Madison and Janesville.

The Morning Boat leaves at 9 A. M., and the Evening Boat at 8.30 P. M.

☞ Be particular and purchase Through Tickets by the GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE, of the different Agents North and West.

☞ For Tickets, apply on board Clement's Line of Steamers, or to W. W. Wilson at the Cars.
R. N. RICE, Superintendent.
V. F. TIBBITS, Traveling Agent. Wis. sep1

AMERICAN EXPRESSS COMPANY.
CAPITAL - - - - - - - - - - **$500,000.**
TO AND FROM,

Fond du Lac,	Sheboygan,	Chicago.
Cincinnati,	St. Louis,	Louisville,
Indianapolis,	Buffalo,	New York,

Also through Canada.

Connecting at Albany with Thompson & Co.'s Express for all the Eastern and New England States.

Messengers will leave Milwaukee daily (Sundays excepted) for New York and intermediate places. Also to Sheboygan and Fond du Lac every day. Each Express is sent in charge of trusty messengers, provided with Iron Chests, for the safety of valuable packages entrusted to their care.

N. B. All packages, to ensure their being forwarded, must be delivered the evening previous, by 8 o'clock.
nr31dtf .B .P .PECKHAM, Agent

BUFFALO AND BRANTFORD RAILWAY.
☞ **SHORTEST ROUTE.**
Between Buffalo & Detroit, by the Buffalo & Brantford Railway, in connection with the Great Western at Paris.

ON and after Monday, June 26th, Two Trains will run Daily (Sundays excepted), leaving the New Depot, Erie St., Buffalo, at 10.10 A. M. and 9.35 P. M., and Paris at 12.20 A. M. and 12 M., or immediately on the arrival of the Express Train from Detroit.

A Freight Train will leave Paris at 9.50 A. M. and Fort Erie at 2 P. M.

The Company's Steamer, INTERNATIONAL, will leave the Michigan Central Dock, Buffalo, with Freight and Emigrants at 6 P. M.

N. B.—This route connects with the several Eastern lines terminating in Buffalo, and the Michigan Central to Chicago.

☞ Tickets can be procured at the Depot, and at 27 Exchange St., Buffalo, and at the Office of the Company's Agents, in New York, Albany, Detroit and Chicago.

☞ Tickets can also be had in Milwaukee, at the office of the Michigan Central R. R., opposite the U. S. Hotel. Baggage checked through.

☞ Fare from Buffalo to Detroit, $5; to Chicago, $11.
WM. WALLACE, Superintendent.
Buffalo, June 18, 1854. jy27dtf

CLOSING OUT SALE!
NO. 146 EAST WATER STREET,
United States Block.
The Whole of the Extensive Stock of
JACKSON & LUXTON,

MUST be immediately cleared, to make room for a different class of business.

AN IMMENSE DISCOUNT!
Will be Deducted from Every Article!
Reducing the Price to Half the Value!

This sale will be peremptory; an early call is desirable. This is positively

NO PUFF NOR HUMBUG!

But absolute and bona fide, as the subscribers are about engaging in a different business. **Dont Forget,**
JACKSON & LUXTON,
nov23.1 *146 East Water Street, Milwaukee.*

☞ **Look for the Bee Hive over the Door.**

Empire Shaving and Bathing Saloon!

THE undersigned have taken this favorite saloon, formerly occupied by W. B. Hall, where they will be very happy to wait on all of their old customers, and the public generally, who may favor them with their patronage.

Particular attention will be paid to our Bathing Establishment, that it be kept clean and well supplied with clean water and towels. Confident of our ability to do what is right, we bespeak for the EMPIRE a share of public patronage. It shall always be our endeavor to please. J. W. & J. A. GOINES.
September 27, 1855. nov15dly

R. G. SUMNER,
No. 179, East Water St., Over Hoyt's Liquor Store.
MANUFACTURER OF AND DEALER IN
Looking-Glass, Picture and Portrait Frames,
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

HE has on hand a choice selection of FRENCH MIRRORS in rich, ornamented frames, which he is enabled to sell at New York prices.

Window and Bed Cornices, Ornamented Composition for Steamboats, Stores, &c.

Maps, Charts and Prints mounted and varnished. Old Paintings cleaned and Frames re-gilt.

All work executed in the most modern style, and at low prices. je20

NOTICE TO FREIGHTERS.

FREIGHT TRAINS will commence running upon the G. B., Milwaukee & Chicago (Lake Shore) Railroad Line, December 1st 1855.

☞ Trains arrive and depart from Florida street.
nov27dtf C. B. HALL, Superintendent.

GUNSMITHING.

WILLIAM HAYWOOD, *(from J. Bond's, Cornhill, London,)* Manufacturer of GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES, &c. Also, the improved Gain Twist Rifle, No. 252 West Water street, Milwaukee. oct10

☞ Shot Guns made to shoot close.

NEW DRIED PEACHES.—PEALED AND unpealed—just received at No's 6 and 8, corner W. Water and Spring streets. nov23
E. D. CHAPIN. W. B. GREGORY

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

GROCERIES! GROCERIES!
—AT WHOLESALE—
103 & 105 East Water St., - Milwaukee.
DUTCHER & SEXTON,

SUCCESSORS to the late firm of P. W. BADGLEY & CO., are now receiving their Spring Stock of **GROCERIES,**

purchased mostly for Cash, which they are prepared to sell as LOW as can be bought in any of the Western markets, consisting in part as follows;

200 hhds New Orleans Sugars,
150 bbls crushed, clarified and refined Sugars,
200 bbls Syrup and Molasses,
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JOHN GOODMAN,
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By the gallon or barrel. july14

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MR. A. G. VAN SCHAICK is this day admitted a partner in our business, which will be continued as heretofore under the name and style of
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Manufacturers and Dealers in
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Milwaukee, Aug. 31, '55. THOS. TURTON,
sep1dtf *Eagle Foundry.*

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She is prepared to fill all orders in designing and embroidery.

She has received a large assortment of French Flowers, of the latest styles, always on hand, mo of each new patterns. may5

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Thankful for your liberal patronage thus far, hope by fair dealing to merit a continuance of the same.

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THE subscribers have been appointed *Special Agents* for Milwaukee and Wisconsin, for the sale of **Buffalo Stoves,** from the celebrated Manufactory of JEWETT & ROOT. The stoves have been pronounced by all who have used them, to be superior to any made in the country; they combine the following important qualities:

Superior quality of metal used,
Beautiful and ornamental designs;
Well adapted for economical and saving people;
And the gem of all good housekeepers:
HEAVY PLATES AND GOOD DRAFTS.

We have the **Harvest Home**
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Beautiful Cottage Parlor Self-regulating Sheet Iron Stoves.

Also, Coal Stoves, Box Stoves and Store Stoves.

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English, German and American Hardware,
Also, Iron, Steel, Nails, Glass, Sash, Rope &c., &c.

And shall have the pleasure, from time to time, of informing the readers of this Journal of the different articles which we are receiving.

This is the first time we have appeared before the readers of the *Free Democrat,* and we trust we may make the acquaintance of and sell to a large number of them good in our line. We shall be pleased to show and to sell our goods when an opportunity offers.

☞ *We do not mean to be undersold.* (ap23
HENRY J. NAZRO, JOHN NAZRO,
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—AT—
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Where can be found a complete assortment of all goods in his line. Also **Window Glass and Sash,** all sizes, from the best Eastern Factories. All of which will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers, and at the *lowest Cash Prices,* at the Old Stand, one door east of the American House. jy23d

NOTICE

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W H NEWTON

Having become the successor of W H NEWTON in the Hardware Trade, I shall continue the business at the old stand, No 153 East Water Street, and satisfy all who may favor me with their calls. H A FOOTE.
Milwaukee, June 8, 1855 je26

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THURSDAY.....FEB 28.

KANZAS MASS MEETING,

ON THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 6th.

THERE WILL BE A KANZAS MASS MEETING held in this city, on Thursday evening of next week—March 6th. Its objects are to aid MEN and MONEY, in rendering to aid the people of Kanzas, when FREEMEN agree that such assistance should be rendered, and to give a full expression to the prevailing sentiment of the State. The people of the State are invited to unite in this demonstration, and to send delegates to the same. Delegates will be received at Young's Hall, from 5 to 6 o'clock, on Thursday afternoon, March 6th.

Papers throughout the State friendly to the movement, are requested to publish this call.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CHICAGO, February 26, 1856.

Scoundrelism is triumphant. Kansas is defeated in the House of Representatives. The slavery men were all present, and enough anti-Nebraska men absent, together with such renegades as Dunn and Haven, to defeat the motion to give the Committee on Whitfield and Reeder's case power to send for persons and papers.

So Whitfield will, in all probability, keep his seat, and the poor, miserable, doughface, cheated, pusilanimous North is whipped again. We deserve to be made slaves, and probably shall be, if this servility continues much longer.

Gillies, of the *American*, voted for the Nebraska-Squatter Sovereignty Platform of the Know Nothing Convention—a cunningly devised scheme, said one of the delegates, to cheat the people till after the election. The first part of the Resolution is taken almost bodily from the Nebraska bill. Poor Law is nowhere. His presses will now be left to go alone. His organ, in Milwaukee, will now have to turn over to Fillmore and Nebraska, modified.

So we go. S. M. B.

CONNECTICUT DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.—The Democracy of Connecticut held a State Convention at Middleton, on the 27th inst., and nominated the following ticket:

For Gov. Samuel Ingham; Lieut. Gov. J. T. White; Secretary of State, R. Averill; Treasurer, Talcott Crosby; Comptroller, Thomas Cowles.

Delegates were appointed to the Cincinnati National Democratic Convention.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at New York yesterday afternoon it was resolved to call a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce for Saturday next to consider what steps should be taken to sustain the harbor encroachments commission against the proposition in the Legislature to establish it.

SOUTHERN PROTEST.—A large meeting of the Merchants of Baltimore was held in that city on the 27th inst. and a resolution was adopted protesting against Mr. Blair, professing to represent the citizens of Baltimore in the Republican Convention held at Pittsburgh.

UNPAID LETTERS.—Unpaid letters to the following persons, in this State, were deposited in the Chicago Postoffice, on the 22d inst.:—F. G. Howe, Geneva, Wis.; Meek, or Meeker, Delavan, Wis.; Miss Almira Arnold, Ceresco, Wisconsin.

SUCCESSOR TO JUDGE DOOLITTLE.—The *Sentinel* of this morning says, the name of Judge Spooner, Walworth County, has been suggested as a fit successor to Judge Doolittle, on the bench of the First Circuit. Judge Spooner, discharged the duties of that office very acceptably, some years since, and he would fill the post well.

☞ The "vitriol man" is again at work in New York city. Several ladies have recently had their clothing entirely spoiled, by oil of vitrol being thrown upon them, by some scoundrel.

R. R. STOCK.—At New York, on the 27th inst., M. & M. R. R. Stock sold at 84⅜; N. Y. Central at 93; Erie at 88¼; Galena & Chicago at 1,12¾.

NEW REPUBLICAN PAPER.—A Republican paper is to be established in the thriving village of Appleton, in June next, by Jackson Turner and J. Holmes.

Address to the People.

THE Philadelphia Republican Convention at Philadelphia, adopted an address to the people of the United States closes as follows:

1. That we demand and shall attempt to secure the repeal of all laws, which allow the introduction of Slavery into Territories once consecrated to freedom; and will resist by every constitutional means the existence of Slavery in any of the Territories of the United States.

2. We will support by every lawful means our brethren in Kansas in their constitutional manly resistance to the usurped authority of their lawless invaders; and will give the full weight of our political power in favor of the immediate admission of Kansas to the Union as a free, sovereign and independent State.

3. Believing that the present National Administration has shown itself to be weak and faithless, and that its continuance in power is identified with the progress of the slave power, to national supremacy, with the exclusion of freedom from the territories with unceasing civil discord—it is a leading purpose of our organization to oppose and overthrow it.

It was ordered that the proceedings of the Convention be published in pamphlet form.—The Convention then adjourned with nine cheers for Freedom and Republicanism.

ANOTHER RELIGIOUS REVIVAL.—The Montello (Marquette Co.) *Young America*, of the 25th inst. says, "a religious revival has been in progress in this village for a few weeks past, which has been attended by numerous conversions. About twenty were yesterday baptized in the Montello river."

There seems to be a general revival of religion all over the State at the present time.

LAUNCH.—The Oshkosh *Courier* of the 25th ult., says:

Messrs. Fitzgerald and Knapp's new Steamer, built in this city during the past winter, was launched on Saturday. She is designated for the river trade, and when finished will be a first class boat.

Special Correspondence of the Democrat.

MADISON Feb. 27, 1856.

I stated the other day, that the bill to divide Dodge County and remove the County Seat, had passed the Assembly under the application of the gag-rule. The bill will soon come up before the Senate, where I hope to see it killed, for I conceive it to be nothing more nor less than a move on the part of interested parties, actuated by selfish or partisan motives. The grounds upon which I base my opinion, are these: In the first place, the proposed division of Dodge County, if successful, will effect the removal of the present County Seat at Juneau to Beaver Dam, and, of course, make the County buildings, erected at an expense of some $10,000, entirely useless, besides incommoding a large part of the County by removing the County Seat away from the geographical centre. The effect of the division as proposed by the bill, upon Jefferson County, will be to remove the County Seat from Jefferson (which is the best and most central location that could have been selected) to Watertown, and this is, in reality, all that the bill intends. It is a Watertown measure, got up by Watertown influence, and, I honestly believe, not in accordance with the views and wishes of a majority of the County.

I understand that the way in which the bill was passed through the Assembly, was as follows: At a Democratic caucus the subject was brought up and the "unterrified" assured that if they went for the measure, Jefferson County would be so divided that two simon-pure Democrats would be elected. Acting upon this supposition, the Democracy took it up as a party measure, and cutting off all debate, choking down those Republicans who remonstrated, they succeeded, being in a majority, in putting it through. But as this time wouldn't suit the Senate (which is, unfortunately for the bill, Republican), the Watertown men assert that in case the bill is passed, Jefferson County will be divided so as to gain a Republican representation. Now this playing on two strings wont do, and I hope to see the Republican Senators take a decided stand in opposition to the measure, which is, as I have said, altogether uncalled for and unjust.

Let the bill be defeated.

A bill was passed through the Assembly yesterday, appropriating over $8,500 to Calkins & Proudfit. It was passed, as matter of course, by stopping debate and moving previous question. But this isn't all. I find in the Journal of the Assembly, this morning, not the slightest allusion to the bill, notwithstanding the ayes and noes were taken. Why this was suppressed, I am unable to state. There is evidently a screw loose somewhere, and I hardly think the bill will pass the Senate without being materially modified. The appropriation is altogether too large for the work done, and should be reduced to a more reasonable and sensible figure.

I am inclined to believe that the bill appropriating $800 to Fred Horn, will pass the Senate. It will, of course, go through the Assembly with a rush. The reasons upon which Mr. Horn bases his claims, are these: It had for some time previous become evident that the law establishing an Emigrant Agency at New York was altogether useless, and an Act was passed in 1853 by the Legislature, repealing the law and establishing a minor agency at Quebec.—This, however, was vetoed by Governor Barstow, who appointed Mr. Horn to the agency that existed under the old law at New York.—Now, Mr. Horn claims that, in accordance with the expressed wish of the Legislature, he appointed an agent at Quebec and paid him the sum of $800, out of his private funds, which sum he thinks the State should refund. He is certainly not legally entitled to the amount, and it will only be through courtesy that the Senate will allow the appropriation, if they allow it at all.

There was considerable debate in the Assembly, yesterday afternoon, upon a bill, reported from Committee on Claims, appropriating over $1,000 for military accoutrements, $600 for tents, and $100 for horse-pistols. The bill was further approved by Mr. Barstow, though I can not conceive what business he had in taking such a step. This was so evident that even Speaker Hull opposed the bill, with sundry other Democrats. It was finally, after considerable debate, referred back to Committee on Claims, on motion of Mr. Hawkins, whether the pistols mentioned in the bill were one or two horse pistols. The bill is a regular steal, but I hardly think it will pass even the Assembly.

The Committee to whom was referred a resolution to inquire into the expediency of erecting a fire-proof building for the safe keeping of the records and papers belonging to the several State Officers, reported yesterday, in the Assembly, favorably to such building, and recommended the appointment, by the Speaker, of a Committee of Three, whose duty it shall be to procure a plan specifications and estimate of the probable cost of such a building as is contemplated in said resolution, and report the same to the Assembly at as early a day as possible of the present session.

Messrs. Bird, Murphy and Potter were appointed Committee.

Both Houses are working quite energetically at present, and a great deal of business has been dispatched this week. C. V.

DISSASTERS AT SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—At Springfield, Ill., on the night of the 25th inst., a fire broke out in the Grocery store of Mr. Mason, consuming that and the tin and stove store of Dorivin & Dickey. Insured.

On the afternoon of the 26 inst., the boiler of Huntington & Campbell's Planing Mill exploded with a terrific noise, making a complete wreck of boiler, engine and engine house, scattering fragments of wood, iron and bricks all over the grounds for several hundred yards, and wounding Levi Hall dangerously, Geo. Johnson engineer, and a Swede whose name was not known, very badly.

A piece of boiler weighing about 400 pounds was blown 200 yards from the mill.

The boiler was almost dry when the engine was started, and it is supposed the infusion of cold water caused the explosion.

A whiskey bottle was found in the engine house, unbroken but nearly empty.

☞ The population of Kansas is estimated at 60,000.

FROM WASHINGTON.

IN the House, on the 28th inst., Mr. Grow reported a bill, annulling the Legislative act of the Assembly of Kansas, which require certain oaths, including one to support the Fugitive Slave Law, to be taken by the public officers of that Territory.

Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported the Indian Appropriation Bill.

Mr. Brown, from Committee on Territories reported a bill, authorizing the people of Oregon to form a State Government.

The discussion of referring the message of the President, recommending the appropriation of $3,000,000 to increase the efficiency of the military, was resumed.

Mr. Quitman said there was nothing in the message ominous of war, as had been stated though, in his opinion, there was a possibility if not a probability, of war. England could not engage in war with this country without convulsing her Kingdom, three millions of her subjects being dependent on one only of our products—cotton.

Mr. Faulkner did not regard the message as war-like, but simply as suggesting a reversal of the President's universal plan of policy regarding the manufacture of arms at arsenals. He thought Mr. Humphrey Marshall had excited unnecessary alarm yesterday, by throwing out the idea of the warlike intentions contained in the message. He apprehended that when the Administration determines on war, a message will be sent, openly announcing the fact and acting on that as on other subjects, boldly and fearlessly.

Humphrey Marshall concluded, that from the face of the message he was justified in believing that the President looked to war. He did not want to see the executive fillibuster about the subject, sounding the note of alarm as if preparing for a conflict, unless questions have arisen justifying such conduct. If necessary, he, Marshall, would not hesitate to vote supplies for the defense of the honor of the country, when the application comes in a proper manner. The message was referred to the Military Committee.

In the Senate, on the same day, the bill regarding fortifications in California, Texas and Florida, was discussed and recommitted to the Military Committee, with instructions to report such new works as may be necessary.

The appropriation bills for the payment of Invalid and other pensions, was passed.

The following appointments were announced:

Louis Dr. Piersons, of New York, as consul, to Port au Petere, in the Island of Guadaluhe; R. S. Scott, Jr, of Virginia, as Consul to Rio Janeiro, and H. G. S. Key, as Navy Agent at Baltimore.

WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

MADISON, Feb. 27.

SENATE—Met at 10 A. M.

Petitions, Remonstrances &c.—Mr. Gillies remonstrance and other papers against Madison City Charter.

Mr. Worthington, two remonstrances against amending Village Charter of Waukesha.

Mr. Barnes, several remonstrances against changing the bounds of Jefferson County.

Mr. Rose, petition of citizens of Dodge County for division said County.

Mr. Weil, several petitions in favor of a law to tax Church property.

Mr. Smith presented two accounts.

Bills Introduced—Mr. Kelsey, to vacate part of the State Road in Sauk County; passed under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Taylor, to change name of William Raymayer, passed under suspension of the rules.

Resolutions asking information relative to pardon of State Convicts.

Mr. Giles reported the Madison City Charter with amendments, and recommended its passage. Rules suspended on his motion for its consideration.

A very long and warm debate sprang up, in which many Senators took quite active parts.

The Senate adjourned till 3 P. M., when the debate will continue.

ASSEMBLY met at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Stark in the chair.

Several petitions were presented, all local.

Mr. Brown offered a joint resolution that no business be received after the 10th of next month.

Several local bills were introduced.

Mr. Cameron introduced a bill to amend Sec. 16 of Chap. 12 R. S.

Mr. Chapin, an act to amend Sec. 12, Chap. 93 of same.

Mr. Noon, a bill to prevent fraud in buying and selling Grain.

Mr. Lavis, an act to divide Kilbourn road District in Milwaukee County.

The resolution asking the Governor to report on the disposition of the contingent Fund was adopted.

The committee on State Lands reported a bill to sell at once the new land pre-empted and known as capitol land.

A number of reports were made and bills introduced by committees.

Several bills of local nature were then passed chiefly for bridges, ferries, local tax bill, &c.

The House then resolved itself into committee of the whole, Mr. Walker in the chair, and went on with the general file.

There was more coughing in the House than has been heard before, and yet the members seemed well supplied with cough candy.

On motion of Mr. Bird the committee rose and reported progress. The reports were adopted.

Mr. Cram reported several enrolled bills correct.

Adjourned. D.

FILLMORE ENDORSED BY N. Y. KNOW NOTHINGS.—On the 27th inst. the American state council held a session at Canandaigua N. Y. and unanimously adopted the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, The American party has by a large majority of its representation in Convention at Philadelphia presented a national ticket and platform of principle eminently worthy of the support of the American party in the United States; and

Whereas, As loyal men to the honorable sentiments and solemn obligations we have assumed, we are pledged to principles, not men; therefore

Resolved, That the grand body solemnly reaffirm the principles foreshadowed in the above preamble, and that we will firmly resist the spirit of faction, wherever and by whomsoever attempted, and that we solemnly and mutually pledge ourselves to the union of hands and the union of States forever.

RELIGIOUS REVIVAL.—The Appleton *Crescent*, of the 23d inst., says:—Quite a religious revival is in progress in our community. On Sunday evening about thirty persons, principally young men and young women, were forward for prayers in the Methodist Church; nearly fifty on Monday evening, and full sixty on Tuesday evening. The Church is crowded nightly.

☞ There are, in Russia, six thousand miles of telegraphic wire, all of which are continually used for official dispatches.

California News.

THE str. *Illinois* arrived at New York on the 27th ult., from Aspinwall, with the California mails of the 5th and 11th, and $1,140,000 in specie.

She connected at the Isthmus with the *Golden Age*, which arrived at Panama on the 19th. The passengers by the *Illinois* outward trip, left Panama for San Francisco on the 15th, on the *John L. Stephen*.

The Senate of California has passed a resolution declaring it inexpedient to elect United States Senator during the present session.

The Lime Town Claim has been compromised by the United States Land commissioner.—The claim covered 15,000 acres of land in and near San Fracisco, estimated worth six millions of dollars. The case will be carried to the Supreme Court.

An explosion occurred on the steamer *Belle* near Sacremento, killing thirty passengers, badly injuring many others, and probably destroying the boat. The only names given of the missing are Napoleon Hyte, a pilot; Alonzo Tyler, clerk, and E. S. Shulter, mate.

Gen. Wool has returned to San Francisco.

OREGON.—Dates from Oregon of the 26th of January, state that there is no more fighting.—The Governor had called for five more companies of volunteers.

NICARAGUA.—The Panama Star mentions a report that the French frigate Ambuscade is on her way to Nicaragua, to enquire into Walkers treatment of the French subjects.

Revolutionary parties are forming in Nicaragua, against Walker, and Costa Rica is sending a force to act against him.

YELLOW FEVER IN HAYTI.—A correspondent of the N. Y. *Evening Post* writing from Port Au Prince under the date of Jan 27th says:

I am sorry to say it is still very sickly here. I never saw it worse. It has now (the last spell) lasted over fifteen months, and it seems as if it would never cease. Vessels are losing nearly half their crews. Hardly a man escapes the fever, who has not already had it. Four of the bark's men ran away, and went off by a vessel going out, just after she arrived, and this, naturally enough, is an incident of common occurrence. The two others, the second mate, cook and two boys, have been on shore sick. The two former died. The nursing and funeral expenses amounted to over $2,000. Haytien currency. Either the shore or harbor is almost certain death to an unacclimated stranger.

RAILROADS IN CANADA.—The total number of miles of Railroad now open for traffic in Canada, is 1,031, as follows:—Grand Trunk, 404 miles; St. Lawrence and Champlain, 35; Montreal and New York, 28; Prescott and Ottowa City, 50; Coburg and Peterboro, 28; Ontario, Simcoe and Huron, 95; Buffalo, Brantford and Goderich, 80; Great Western and branches, 235; Erie and Ontario, 17. All these Railways, except the St. Lawrence and Champlain, the New York and Montreal, and the Prescott and Ottowa, are on the five feet six inch, or "National Guardian" guage. The lines just mentioned are on the English narrow guage. The amount of Railway to be opened in 1856, is about 380 miles.

THE HAYTIANS DEFEATED.—The N. Y. Evening *Post* of the 26th inst. gives the following extracts from a letter dated Cape Haytian, Jan 29: The Haytians have been beaten again and driven back by the Dominicans. The Emperor has returned here to-day with all his troops, some five or six thousand men. They have been coming into town since noon, and such a miserable looking set of objects I never saw. Some hundred or more of wounded were sent down in barges. A vast number of dead are left behind in the bushes. This has been the most disastrous campaign the Haytiens have ever made.

GAS.—An exchange paper says that Mr. E. Coen, and E Hudder of Rondout, N. Y., have perfected a machine for making gas, which is thus described: The apparatus is simple and and safe, and takes no more room than a flour barrel Gas is made from rosin and saw dust, at a cost of fifty cents per thousand feet—or an eighth of the present cost, as has been fully tested. They pay $20,000 for the right in Greene, Ulster, Dutchess and Orange counties, and the State of New Jersey.

TARRED AND FEATHERED.—A few of the people of Joliet tarred and feathered a young man in the employ of the Chicago, Alton & St. Louis Railroad, on Monday last, as a punishment for his improper intimacy with a certain married woman. About twenty were engaged in the perpetration of the outrage. Two arrests have been made.

FOR NEW GRENADA.—The Str. *Osprey* left N. Y. on the 26th inst. with 50 families who are to permanently settle in the Province of Carthage, in New Grenada. They got out under the auspices of the company who have bought the Canal located in the Northern portion of the Province.

☞ There is on exhibition at Bath Me., a man, who, according to the advertisement must be an astonishing creature. His right hand represents the head of a black snake, a part of his left hand representing the tail.

A RUSSIAN Agent was at Worcester, Mass., a few days since, and made a contract with a manufacturer there for several thousand rifles. They are to be of the Sharp pattern, with some improvements.

—The Oshkosh Courier says;

Between ninety and one hundred new buildings are now in progress of erection in this city, and there is an equal number under contract to be commenced as soon as Spring opens.

☞ The number of American seamen in 1855 was 9686, of whom 9386 were native born and 300 naturalized. Of this number Massachusetts furnished 4501, Maine 1303, and New York 885.

LARCENY AT NORTH PRAIRIE.—On Monday night last, the store of James G. Ladd, at North Prairie, was broken into by a thief, who was cared away by a woman before he stole anything of value.

SAW MILL.—The Waukesha *Plaindealer* says, Mr. R. N. Kimball has got the material all on ground for erecting a new saw Mill in his village, in place of the old one.

☞ In 24 of the 41 counties of California there are 70 flour mills, 251 saw mills and 46 quartz mills.

Iron Steamers and the Compass.

THE new steamer Peria, the largest and, we presume, the safest ocean steamer now afloat, by her late voyage to this country, has demonstrated one fact of the profoundest scientific and commercial interest. Our readers are aware that her hull is built of iron. The great obstacle to the use of such steamers to the ocean navigation has always been to neutralize the influence of such a mass of iron upon the compass. We incline to think this difficulty has been not a little exaggerated, though it has undoubtedly been a grave one. The variation of the Persia's compasses during the whole voyage, as we learn from Captain Judkins himself, did not exceed three degrees, which is at least one degree less than the average variation in wooden vessels.

The Persia is provided with a compass elevated some forty feet from her upper deck, to be used in regulating the compass below, if necessary; but the Captain informs us that it was entirely superfluous, and that when he returns to Liverpool, he shall propose to have both it and the mizzen-mast, which supports it, removed. We should add that the abberations to which the deck compasses are liable, are corrected by a combination of magnets, patented by a Mr. Gray, of Liverpool, and which the captain thinks perfectly reliable, and all-sufficient. It is not certain that another steamer, though built by the same architect, will have so little influence upon the compass as the Persia, or even that she will continue to carry hers so nearly in equilibrium another voyage; but this invention with which she is supplied, the captain seems to think, makes it a matter of comparative indifference to him whether she does or not.

The experience of the Persia will be likely to give a new impulse to the manufacture of iron vessels in the United States, and create a new demand for iron, scarcely less considerable than that for railways. And the discovery is most timely. As our forest timber grows more scarce on the seaboard, railways are making iron more abundant; and it will be a relief to those who have been worrying themselves, lest our supplies of ship timber would give out and leave us nothing to replace and add to our ocean bottoms, to know that we have enough of the best ship timber in the world, in more than a dozen States of the Union, to provide for the commerce of the earth for a thousand years.—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

LOOK OUT FOR THE SCOUNDREL.—A young man calling himself James Reed *alias* William Shaffer, has been doing business on a large scale upon a small capital, at Monmouth and Warren, in Illinois. He represented himself to be a returned Californian, lined with money. Bought the Emerick House and a valuable farm in the vicinity of Monmouth, or at least bargained for them and had half the lawyers in the place filling deeds and contracts—courted a widow lady, got the license, had the day set for the nuptials—borrowed a suit of clothes to get married in, ten dollars of the lady, and smaller sums of different persons, and left. All this occupied but a few days.

He then found his way to Warren, where, in a few days, he contrived to get money from sundry persons, got in debt for goods and clothing, courted and married a lady. The ceremony was performed in Burlington and published in our last Saturday's paper. He was very pious—had family worship, and even run in debt for a very large family Bible. This week his villainies came out, the deception could be no longer maintained, and he left Warren and was last seen in Burlington. The lady he married was of good family and very much respected.

This scoundrel is 21 or 22 years of age, tolerably good looking—thin faced and quick motioned—weighs about 120 lbs. Had on dark clothes. He is a fast man, and the ladies especially, had better look out for him.—*Burlington Gazette.*

FIGHT WITH A DEER.—As B. W. Farrar, of Portland, was coming from Lubec, Maine, with his horse and sleigh a few days since, when a few miles this side of Whiting, he discovered a large buck deer cross the road and pass on to the mill pond in that vicinity, where he fell through the ice, but the water being shoal he broke his way to the opposite shore, where he was met by Mr. F. who had secured a club with which to give him battle. The deer turned, approached the mill near by, where he was again overtaken by his pursuer, again turned jumped at Mr. F. when by some mishap both man and deer fell some six feet down into the walled limits beside the flume of the mill, where for either to escape required exertion and judicious management; so now the contest became animated, the deer butting and striking with his feet, and his adversary fending off the blows from his club. After a contest of some half hour, the buck yielded and laid down his life.

HORACE MANN ON SLAVERY.—Horace Mann delivered the first lecture of the Anti-Slavery course at Boston, and said:

Jesus Christ himself cannot, South of Mason and Dixon, have a hearing unless he submits to a sort of Missouri Compromise, and adapts his teachings to his latitude. Thus when the slaveholders find no comfort in the New Testament, they turn to the old book for aid, but here they are met with but little encouragement. They can there read of the first great abolitionist, Moses, who ran two millions of slaves at one jump, gathering them out of Egypt and taking them to the promised land. He, indeed, was a slave runner, and should have been alive now to be the conductor of the Underground Railroad. This same incident, also, said he, furnishes an example of the manner in which slave hunters should be served. Look at the fate of Pharach, and you find how the God of Hosts executed his justice upon them. Thus he held that the Old Testament so often alluded to by slave advocates gives no comfort.

SCENE IN AN OMNIBUS.—I had snugly seated myself in a Cambridge omnibus, when a plain looking man, with his wife, entered. The husband held a half consumed cigar, which, as soon as they were seated, he began to smoke.

He was quickly reminded that no smoking was allowed there. He handed the cigar to his wife, who sat near the door, to be thrown into the street. But the kind economical wife, instead of throwing it away, thrust it, all on fire and smoking as it was into her muff. She soon found it would not answer. She took it from her muff and began pinching it; but the fire seemed *unquenchable*. Then the dear wife intent on saving the precious thing for her precious husband, raised it to her sweet mouth and gracefully *spit* in the face and eyes of the fire, which after a litle more pinching, was extinguished. Soon the husband took the filthy thing and placed it away carefully in his coat pocket.—*Boston Trav.*

HORSE STOLEN.—The Janesville *Free Press* of the 26th ult., says:

A horse was stolen from Mr. J. W. Dyer, of Rockford, Illinois, on Saturday night last—brought to Janesville on Sunday, and sold to Mr. Joselyn on Monday. The man that had him in possession here, supposed to be the thief—was small, had sandy hair and whiskers, front teeth out, wore a blue shirt, new boots, cap, and pea green jacket, and had in his possession a silver lever watch, full jewelled.

It is thought that he left for Madison.

BREAKING UP OF THE ICE AT ST. LOUIS.—The ice in the Mississippi at St. Louis commenced breaking up yesterday, wrecking several first class steamers.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

☞ **GEORGE SUMNER,** OF BOSTON, will give a second lecture, on Saturday evening, March 1, at 8 o'clock, at Young's Hall.

Subject—"FRANCE AND LOUIS NAPOLEON."

☞ Tickets, 25 cents, at the door, and during the day at the Association Rooms. feb28

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DONATION VISIT.

☞ The friends of the Rev. Milton Rowley will make him a Donation Visit, on Thursday evening, Feb'y 28, at **Concert Hall, (*Armory of the "Milwaukee Light Guards."*)**

A supper, ice cream, and a variety of refreshments will be provided. All, without denominational distinction, are invited to attend. We desire to have it an occasion of the interchange of Christian friendship and goodwill.

feb25td By order of the Committee.

MILWAUKEE AND WATERTOWN RAILROAD

Change of Hours.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, January 14th, 1856, Passenger Trains on this Road will run as follows:

GOING EAST—1st Train leaves Watertown at 6.45 A. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 9.15 A. M., and making direct connection at the Junction, with morning train for Madison and Janesville. 2d Train leaves Watertown at 12.40 P. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 3.00 P. M., and making direct connection with the 3.30 Lake Shore Train for Chicago, and thence with all the night express Trains East, South and West.

GOING WEST—1st Train leaves Milwaukee at 9.40 A. M., arriving at Watertown at 12.10 A. M. 2d Train leaves Milwaukee at 6.25 P. M., making direct connections at Junctions with trains from Madison and Janesville, and arrive at Watertown at 8.35.

AT WATERTOWN, stages connect for Milford, Jefferson, Portland, Sun Prairie, Dodge Centre, Juneau, Otsego, Wyoceena, Columbus, Portage City, Baraboo, &c.

☞ Freight Trains leave Watertown daily at 5.50 A. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 10.30 A. M. Leave Milwaukee daily at 12.45 P. M., arrive at Watertown 5.10 A. M.

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Milwaukee, October 1, 1855. oct1-6d

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Milwaukee, January 21, 1856. jan21d1y

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N. Harris, Esq., President Atlantic Bank, Boston, Mass. feb7dawlf

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

C. D. BOOTH, - - - - - Local Editor.

THURSDAY......FEB. 28.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH.—The contract for the erection of the new Methodist Church on Jackson St., First Ward, was let yesterday, for $21,000. It is to be of brick, and the masonry is to be done by J. Roberts, and the carpenter work by Geo. Southwell Jr.

LECTURE.—Geo. Sumner will deliver a lecture before the Young Men's Association, on Saturday evening next, on "France and Louis Napoleon." A lecture full of interesting information, as well as sound sense, may be expected.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.—A meeting of the Democratic electors of the First Ward, now being all that part of the old Ward lying north of Division Street, is to be held at the house of Mr. Theis, on Saturday evening next, for the purpose of appointing a Ward Committe, &c.

WE hope our readers will not forget the Donation Visit to the Rev. Milton Rowley, at Concert Hall, this evening. Remember—"*It is more blessed to give than to receive.*"

AN adjourned meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at the Lecture Room of Plymouth Church, this evening, at 8 o'clock.

MR. PAY'S CONCERT will be repeated at Young's Hall, this evening. If you wish to while away an hour or more pleasantly, go and see his juvenile performers.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Anthony Muller, was tried for larceny, yesterday and acquited.

Chas. Owen, tried for stealing tools from Cummings & Goodrich's shop, was found guilty. There is another indictment against this boy for stealing.

Another motion for change of venue, in the case of John B. Spencer, was made yesterday.

POLICE COURT.—E. McNamara was fined $1,00 this forenoon, for drunkenness.

W. Steinmuller, charged with an assault and battery on Jacob Braudies, was tried and found not guilty.

BERLINER & BRUNO'S BADGER SAFES.—The Kenosha *Telegraph* says: Dropping into the City Bank of Kenosha a few days since our attention was called to one of the Badger State safes. It is from the Badger State Manufactory of Messrs. Berliner & Bruno, Milwaukee, and is really a burglar-proof Safe.—Its exterior is composed of 1½ inch iron plates lined with chilled iron 2 inches thick, then filled completely around with steel diamonds, so that if the burglar succeeds with his boring implements in getting through the first two plates his instrument, striking these diamond shaped pieces of steel, is turned aside and broken. There are three locks attached to, the safe—one of the Bramah Burglar Proof, and two of Chubbs' Burglar Proof Locks, with a number of additional secret springs known only to the initiated. From a close examination it seems to us certainly proof against the skill of the most expert purglar, and we doubt not is equal in all points to the best safes which are manufactured in any of the Eastern Cities.

☞ A Kansas Aid Meeting is to be held at Janesville, to morrow evening.

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

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Transactions in the produce department limited.

PRICES.

Flour—7,00a7,50; No. 1, 8,00a8,50.
Wheat—Spring, 1,15a1,20; Winter, 1,45a1,55.
Rye 1,00a1,05.
Corn 55a60.
Oats 37a40.
Barley, 1,25a1,30.
Potatoes .75a1,00.
Pork—$5,25a$5,75.

MARRIAGES.

LASHER—WISE.—At Baldwinsville, Onondago Co., N. Y., on the 12th inst., by the Rev. R. N. Barber, Mr. WILLIAM H. LASHER, of Waukesha, Wis., to Miss MARY E. WISE, of the former place.

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On and after January 1, 1856, to Horicon.
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" " " " 30, " " Beaver Dam.

Or as soon as the road is openeded to those places respectively.

GREAT NORTHERN ROUTE!

PASSENGER TRAINS leave Milwaukee twice a day, as follows:—At 8.30 A. M., arriving at Horicon at 11.23 A. M., and at Beaver Dam at 12.10 P.M.

At 4.00 P.M., arriving at Horicon at 6.53 P.M., and at Beaver Dam at 7.40 P.M. Also, leave Beaver Dam and Horicon, going East, as follows:—Beaver Dam at 8.10 A.M., and Horicon at 9.00 A.M. arriving at Milwaukee at 12.00 A. M.; Beaver Dam at 3 40 P.M., and Horicon at 4.30 P. M., arriving at Milwaukee at 7.30 P. M.

BY this arrangement passengers coming from the East, arriving at Milwaukee by the morning trains from Chicago and Madison, and destined for any part of the North or North westerly parts of the State, can proceed on the *same day* by the evening or four o'clock Train, and arrive at Horicon or Beaver Dam, where stages will connect for Waupun, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Menasha, Green Bay, Ripon, Berlin, Steven's Point, Marquette, Montello, Fox Lake, Portage City, Baraboo, Newport, St. Croix, and all other towns and places in the North west portion of the State.

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MESSRS. DAVIS & MOORE have made extensive arrangement for effecting stage connections at Horicon and Beaver Dam, for all the principal stage routes; and a railroad connection will be established at Horicon early in January, extending towards Waupun and Fond du Lac, by means of the Horicon Railroad, which will offer superior facilities for the travelling public.

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Passengers will please procure tickets before entering the Cars.

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December 24, 1855. jan25

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PART THIRD—The Fairy Industry invites those who have been diligent and faithful into her Palace, to enjoy the reward of their labors.

☞ Tickets of admission, 25 cents each.

Doors open at 6; Exercises at 7¼ P. M. An early attendance is solicited.

☞ See bills of the day. feb26 3t

DRAMATIC READING!

MRS. WEBB,

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WILL READ A DRAMATIZATION OF **UNCLE TOM'S CABIN,** dramatized by Mrs. STOWE expressly for Mrs. Webb's Readings,

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On Monday Evening, March 3, at ¼ before 8.

Tickets, 50 cents, to be be had at the usual places, and at the door. feb27dtd

Opera in Milwaukee.

TUESDAY, March 4th, will be performed for the first time, by the members of the Musical Society, in Young's Hall,

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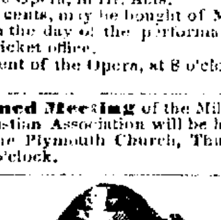
Grand Romantic Opera, in III. Acts.

Tickets, at 50 cents, may be bought of Mr. Niedecken's till 6 o'clock, on the day of the performance, and in the evening at the ticket office.

Commencement of the Opera, at 8 o'clock P.M. feb22d2w

An adjourned Meeting of the Milwaukee Young Men's Christian Association will be held in the Lecture Room of the Plymouth Church, Thursday evening, 28th inst., at 8 o'clock. feb23d2t



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GREAT FIRE.

TOLEDO, OHIO, Feb. 12, 1856

The Duryee & Forsyth Manufacturing Company:

GENTLEMEN:—On the morning of the 20th ult., a fire broke out in our block, composed of nine buildings, of which ours is the centre. Our safe, which was one of Duryee & Forsyth's Manufacture, Rochester, N-Y, stood about in the middle of our store, and was exposed to the most severe fire we have ever witnessed, from 1 until 9½ o'clock in the morning. So intense was the heat that our stove, which was a large and heavy one, and which stood within about four feet of the safe, was almost entirely melted down. When we had seen that, we came to the conclusion that the contents of the safe were not preserved, but, on opening it, we were very agreeably surprised to find them all in a perfect state of preservation. Respectfully Yours, N. W. EDDY & CO., Merchant Tailors,

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IMPORTANT IMPROVEMENS IN PAINTING!

Lane's Permanent Gloss Paint!

THIS beautiful paint can be applied of any color, from the purest white, resembling enamel or porcelain to all the different varieties of tints suitable for private dwellings, Churches, Hotels, &c. Also—

Plain and Ornamental Painting, Decorations Of Every Description.

SIGNS OF COMIC AND FANCY DESIGNS.

F. M. LANE,
22 Spring Street,

And Lane & Corbusier, Clinton St., Walker's Pt., Milwaukee. feb26dtf

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE Annual Meeting of the Milwaukee Horticultural Society will be held at E M Hurd's Store, on Saturday, March 1st, at 4 P. M. R. W. PARKER, Secretary.

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OATS! OATS!! OATS!!!

900 Bushels of Oats for sale to close consignment—at ALBERT WOOD's, 39 Spring Street.

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C. A. & J. C. FULLER, 27 CORTLAND ST. New-York.

JOB LOTS OF DRY GOODS, HOSIERY, Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, and **YANKEE NOTIONS,** From

AUCTION,

DAILY.

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EGGS! EGGS!!

FRESH EGGS, Sugar-cured Hams and Timothy Seed. at BARON & HOYT, Opposite the American.

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PARLOR COOK STOVES.

RATHBONE & KENNEDY's Patent, Albany. The neatest pattern in use, and not to be surpassed either for convenience or beauty. For sale by H. A. FOOTE

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A. F. CLARK'S REAL ESTATE COLUMN!

FARMS AND COUNTRY RESIDENCES.

A BEAUTIFUL PLACE on the South Point, 4 miles from the city limits, with a good house and barn and 600 fruit trees in bearing; 40 acres—30 under cultivation and 10 in timber, for sale low.

A farm of 40 acres, 1¼ from the city limits, on a plank road, for sale at $125 per acre—easy terms.

A form of 30 acres, 2½ miles from this city.

A farm of 40 acres, 3 miles from the city.

A farm of 171 acres, 14 miles from the city, price $2,500—easy terms.

A handsome residence, with 47 acres, adjoining the city, on a plank road, fine garden and fruit, for sale at a bargain.

The above, together with many other larger farms, for sale by A. F. CLARKE, Land Agent.

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HOUSE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

2 BRICK HOUSES, on Main Street, between Martin and Biddle, pleasantly situated, and not far from business—for sale low.

2 new frame houses, ½ lot each on Marshal Street.

2 frame houses, ½ lot each, on Cass street.

2 small frame houses, ½ lot each, on Cass street.

1 large brick house, with gas, water works, &c., and 45 feet of land, on Division Street.

1 frame house and 2 lots, in the 2d Ward, for sale at a bargain.

Several country houses in the vicinity of Milwaukee, with from 30 to 50 acres of land each. For sale by A. F. CLARKE, Land Agent.

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GREAT BARGAINS!

—AT—

CHANDLER & JENNINGS'!!

—AT THE—

Metropolitan Store!

NO. 199

East Water Street,

MARTIN'S BLOCK : : MILWAUKEE.

WE WILL SELL FOR THE

NEXT 30 DAYS,

OUR WHOLE STOCK OF

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods!

AT COST, ADDING TRANSPORTATION,

In order to make room for our large

SPRING PURCHASES!!

COME ONE AND ALL,

And Secure

GREAT BARGAINS,

—AT THE—

METROPOLITAN STORE,

No. 199 East Water Street.

jan31 CHANDLER & JENNINGS.

STOVES, SCALES,

—AND—

SAFES!!

PERSONS WISHING TO BUY the best stove in the world, will be sure to get *Forest Oak*, or *King of Stoves.* I will warrant either of them to give the most perfect satisfaction, and if they do not, may be returned after two days trial. I have received during the past month 200 boxes Fairbank's Scales, and can now furnish any size, from ½ oz to a 10 ton scale. Safes, of Herring's manufacture—I have between 80 and 100 on hand, and sell them, as well as Scales, at Manufacturers' Prices.

Milwaukee, Nov. 27, 1855. LANSING BONNELL,

nov28dow *89 and 91 East Water Street.*

H. A. FOOTE,

DEALER IN

HARDWARE AND STOVES!

AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

No. 153 East Water Street

SIGN OF THE ANVIL.

Successor to W. H. Newton, at the old stand of W. H. Byron & Co. aug31d&w

MORE CURES.

PHILADELPHIA, 3d mo. 20, 1850.

Respected Friend:—I had, for several years, been afflicted with *Dyspepsia* and occasionally *General Debility.* I accidentally tried thy medicine—Hoofland's German Bitters—in the first place, upon a daughter, she having a severe spell of sickness. Thy Hoofland's German Bitters had such effect upon her general debility, that I was induced to try it myself. I then got a bottle, and used it according to the directions, and it relieved me more than anything I had before used, giving general tone and strength to the stomach and system. Last fall I had a very severe spell of the Diarrhœa, which continued for some time. My life, for a time was despaired of. Thy Bitters again being used, acted very happily upon the stomach and intestines, and soon relieved me from the great pain I suffered, and gave me general health to the system. I consider it, doctor, one of the most valuable medicines I ever used, and shall take great pleasure in recommending it to others.

Very respectfully thy friend,
SAMUEL HUTTON,
No. 5 Jenning's Row, Catharine, above Third.

To Dr. M. C. JACKSON, 120 Arch st., Phila. feb6d1m

Sold by S. Johnson, Jr., Milwaukee.

Great Cure of Rheumatism in Cincinnati, Ohio. Convincing Evidence.

For more than three years I have been suffering with Rheumatism and enlargement and pain of the bones and joints. I have strictly followed the advice of physicians, and at other times have used such family medicines as had been recommended for the cure of Rheumatism;—still I did not improve in the least, and was frequently compelled to keep my bed, and thereby was prevented from attending to my business. Some weeks I was induced, by a friend, to try Carter's Spanish Mixture. The effect was miraculous. I felt considerably improved after I had taken the fourth dose; I have only used one single bottle and am entirely free from all pain. I feel better than I have felt for years, and attribute my completely-restored health solely to the use of Carter's Spanish Mixture. I consider it a most excellent medicine for Rheumatism and all diseases of the blood, and cheerfully recommend it to the afflicted. D. BURRITT,

South-east corner of Fourth and Walnut sts.

Cincinnati, March 17, 1855. feb7d1m

☞ Sold by by S Johnson, Jr., Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE Boot, Shoe,

—AND—

LEATHER STORE!

95 EAST WATER STREET.

THE SUBSCRIBER has a large and well assorted stock of Goods on hand, and is daily receiving fresh goods from his own Factory.

He can and will sell

Lower Than Any Other House in the City.

☞ Just received—

Ladies' white and black Satin Slippers and Boots.
" Gaiter Boots, with heels, Philadelphia and New York styles.
" Glue Kid heel Gaiters, Baltimore styles.
" Kid Buskins and Slippers, latest New York style

nov30daw JOSIAH NICHOLS.

LAKE SHORE RAIL ROAD!!

Change of Time!

ON and after MONDAY, January 21st, 1856, and until further notice, Passenger Trains of the G. B. Milwaukee and Chicago Railroad Line will leave Milwaukee from the foot of Washington street for Chicago and intermediate stations, at 8.35 A. M., and 3.00 P. M., arriving at Chicago at 12.40 M., and at 7 o'clock P. M., receiving passengers from Madison, Janesville and intermediate stations upon the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad;—also, from the Milwaukee and Watertown, and the Milwaukee and La Crosse Railroads, at Milwaukee, and the Racine and Mississippi Railroad, at Racine, and connect with the afternoon and evening express trains for the East over the Michigan Central and Michigan Southern Rail road.

Passengers ticketed to Chicago, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, &c.

Trains leave Chicago for Milwaukee and intermediate stations at 8.30 A. M., and 3 P. M., receiving passengers for the above mentioned railroads and places, and steamboats to **SHEBOYGAN,** making two passenger trains each way daily, Sundays excepted.

C. B. HALL, *Superintendent.*

Milwaukee, August 22, 1855. jan19

BY TELEGRAPH.

WISCONSIN TELEGRAPH LINE.

REPORTED FOR THE FREE DEMOCRAT.

WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

MADISON, February 28.

Assembly met at 10 o'clock.

Speaker in the Chair.

Petitions—Mr. Bostedo—To authorize construction of Bridge.

Mr. Davis—To amend the act of incorporating Portage Bridge Co.

Mr. Noyes—To change some one's name.

Bill passed under leave—Mr. Noyes introduced an act to vacate the public square in village of Baraboo and make it a Court House Square.

Bills introduced—Mr. Hawkins—To incorporate the Northwestern Lumber Co.

Mr. Woodman—To change the name of G. Smith.

Mr. Cameron—To incorporate Northwestern University.

Several bills were reported by their members.

Mr. Cameron bill to incorporate city of La Crosse. Under suspension of rules the bill was passed.

Madison city charter came up with amendments. Two of the amendments concurred in.

Bills Passed—To amend charter city of Fond du Lac.

To find time for holding Circuit Courts in 10th Judicial District.

To incorporate Greenbush Academy.

Memorial for a Mail road in Iowa and Sauk counties.

Several memorials for increase of mail service.

To extend time for collection of taxes in town of Adrian.

To appropriate to John M. Sweet $200.

Bill requiring of State and University Lands to make monthly reports to State Superintendent.

To incorporate Rock Lake Academy.

To organize County of Juneau.

To appropriate to L. Philips $368,50.

Senate bill was taken up, name of John S. Folds to John S. F. Languish, and passed.

Mr. Chappell on leave introduced a bill to authorize City of Watertown to issue bonds for purchasing fire Engines.

The remainder of Report of the Committee o the whole of yesterday was taken up.

Mr. Taylor moved to take up bill to authorize State Superintendent to subscribe for school Journal.

Mr. Parker moved to indefinitely postpone—lost. After a long debate bill passed.

Adjourned till 3 P. M.

Senate met at 10 A. M.

Lieutenant Governor in the Chair.

Petitions—Mr. Giles, of Conrad Getz and others, for a State road.

Mr. Dexter—For a Maine Law.

Bills introduced—Mr. Smith—Two bills for a State Road and ferry across the Mississippi in Bad Ax County.

Mr. Fitzgerald—To amend an act to incorporate Oshkosh & Waupun Plank Road Co.

Mr. Sutherland—To incorporate Freeport & Sugar River R. R. Co.

Mr. Kelsey—To provide for the sale of swamp and overflowed lands, and granting the even numbered sections to the counties in which they are situated.

Mr. Barnes—To authorize the several towns and incorporated villages and cities to aid in construction of Railroads.

Mr. Gill—To change several names.

Resolutions—Mr. Cobb, calling on the Governor for the amount of money collected by each of the several agents appointed by him by virtue of chapter 87 of the General Statutes of 1854, and whether any of such agents are now known to be defaulters. Laid over one day.

Bills passed to amend charter of Racine and Mississippi R. R. Co.

To authorize Rufus Washburn and others to keep a mill dam on Milwaukee River.

Kansas resolutions came up and were adopted. Adjourned.

The Old Stand, Still in full Blast.

HAVERSTICK, BENNETT & CO.,

WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION of Merchants to their large Stock of

Foreign Staple

AND

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

Now on Hand, which they offer to to the Trade,

Cheap for Cash or Good Approved Paper,

At their OLD STAND,

NO. 141 EAST WATER STREET,

MILWAUKEE, - - WISCONSIN.

150 Bales Atlantic, A. Pacific, Stark, Nashua, Bedford and other Sheetings,

200 Bales Batts,	100 Bales Stark A. Bags,
100 " Wadding,	150 " Star "
150 " Wicking,	50 " Ticks,
100 " Twine,	25 " White and red Flannels,

120 Cases Prints, Merrimack, Cocheco, Dunnels, Phillip Allens and other well known Brands,

20 Cases Kentucky Jeans,	75 Cases Dennins,
10 " Satinetts,	10 " Canton Flannels,
50 " Bleach'dSheetings;	25 " Yankee Notions,

And everything else usually found in a Dry Goods Jobbing House.

To the Merchants we would extend the invitation generally, to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing, as we are satisfied that we can and will sell goods as cheap as the cheapest, and give you an entire new Stock to purchase from.

At the Old Stand, No. 141 East Water Street.

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DRY GOODS BUSINESS,

WILL SELL HIS ENTIRE STOCK at WHOLESALE OR BY RETAIL, *FOR CASH,*

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And many articles will be sold for *LESS THAN COST,* until the first day of April, 1856. All goods then remaining on hand, will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, for the most they will bring. The Stock on hand **consists of a great variety of the Newest Styles of Rich and Desirable Staple and Fancy**

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OF ALL KINDS AND DESCRIPTIONS.

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Has just received a Splendid Assortment of

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BORDER DECORATIONS, WINDOW SHADES, &C.

Call and see us, before Purchasing; it will pay you for your Trouble.

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BETWEEN WISCONSIN AND MASON STREETS.

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A GOOD **BINDER** will find permanent employment (an American preferred) by calling at the Book Store of [jan29] A. WHITTEMORE & CO.

POTATOES! POTATOES!

100 Bushels White Meshanock Potatoes, at BARRON & HOYT'S, Opposite American.

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ARTISTIC CURIOSITIES in Embroideries and Laces, at (sep4) **THE BEE HIVE.**

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NEW JEWELRY STORE!

LOOMIS & HOES,

201 East Water Street, Milwaukee,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN

Watches, Jewelry, Silver Ware & Fancy Goods.

WE INVITE THE SPECIAL ATTENTION of the public to our extensive assortment of goods in the above line. Our aim is to sell **Fine Reliable Goods,** at the Lowest Cash Price, and

All Goods Warranted as Represented.

Persons desirous of presenting holiday gifts to their friends, will find choice goods to select from, among which are the following:

WATCHES,

Extra fine Chronometers, chronometic Reg'l'ted, perfect time-keepers; Gold and Silver cased English Patent and Skeleton Levers, finely adjusted for Railway time keepers. Magic cased French and Swiss Anchor Levers; Duplex and Cylinder Escapement; Ladies' Fine Gold **Watches,** &c.

JEWELRY!

Full setts of beautiful Jewelry in Diamond, Florentine, Mosaic, Cameo, Lava, Gold Stone, and gold-frosted work. Ear Drops, Lockets, Neck, Chateleine and Guard Chains, Fob and Vest Chains, Seals, Keys, Bracelets, Slides, Clasps, Studs, Sleeve Buttons, Pens and Pencils, Diamond, Ruby Opal, Emerald, Garnet, Pearl and fine Gold Rings, Gold and Silver Thimbles, Gold and Silver Spectacles, Medallions, Charms, Pens and Pencils, tooth-picks, &c.

SILVER WARE!

Tea Setts, Sugar Sifters, Goblets, Soup Ladles, Napkin Rings, Card Cases, Tobacco Boxes, Table and Dessert Forks, Knives, Table, Dessert, Tea, Cream, Sugar, Mustard and Salt Spoons, &c. Also, Pie, Tea, Butter and Fish Knives.

PLATED WARE.

Bread, Cake and Card Baskets, Tea Setts, Sugar Bowls, Candlesticks, Snuffers and Trays, Servers, Coffee Urns, Butter Coolers, Egg Stands, Toast Racks, Knives, Cups, Forks, Spoons, Boquet Holders, Salt Cellars, &c.

Fancy Goods.

Papier Mache Work Stands and Dressing Cases, work Boxes, Reticules, Watch and Jewelry Stands, Sewing Birds, Coral Beads, Fine Fans, Satchels, Port Monaies, Fine Card Cases, Traveling Alarm Clocks, French satchels, Compasses, Spy Glasses, Opera Glasses, Brushes, Scissors, Needles, Pins, Shell Combs, Fine Perfumery & Extracts, Cake Boxes, and Fancy Envelopes for wedding parties.

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Fine French Repeating, in marble and bronze cases, American Clocks, all patterns, 30 hour and *8 day,* with or without alarm; also an *American* Clock, new construction, expressly *for Banks,* Churches, Halls, R. R. Offices, *&c.,* runs 33 days, and are accurate time-keepers.

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Carhart & Needham's unequalled Melodeons, fine Guitars, rare old Violins, Accordeons, Flutinas, Flutes, best Violin and Guitar Strings in market, Tuning Forks, Rosin, Violin Bows, Pegs, Bridges, &c.

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NORTH-EAST CORNER OF

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The Stock is the largest and most desirable ever brought to the western market.

New Goods,

Of our own importation and manufacture, which will be sold to the trade at the lowest New York Jobbing prices.

JEWELERS, MERCHANTS AND PEDDLERS,

Will do well to call before going East, or purchasing elsewhere. Among this stock may be found a full assortment of WATCHES,

From the most celebrated manufacturers. Also, the latest patterns of **JEWELRY OF EVERY KIND.**

WATCH GLASSES, and MATERIALS; also, WATCHMAKERS' TOOLS, of every variety.

The subscriber is thankful for past favors, and requests a continuance of them.

Milwaukee, December 28, 1855. dec28

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KOSTERHEIM. De Quincey's new work; Wager of Battle; Lossing's Field, book of the revolution; Gerrit Smith in Congress; Beechicroft; Mortimer's College Life; Conversation; Almacks; Glenwood; or, The Parish Boy; Shaw's Architect; God Revealed; Illustrations of Scripture; Age of Faith; Frank Leslie's Portfolio of Needlework—Just received at

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N. F. & CO., beg to inform their friends and customers that they are **now** prepared to exhibit their superb and most extensive stock of Furniture and Upholstery goods, made in the very best style, and of the best materials, in their manufactory, **and under their own supervision.**

Our stock now comprises a variety of Goods, very rarely offered to the public, of low priced, medium, and fine Furniture, and we are confident that the pains we are always taking to satisfy our customers will be appreciated as heretofore. Having been awarded at the State Fairs, in preference to all competition, the sole and only diplomas for home-made furniture, we intend to sustain the proud position hitherto enjoyed by us.

Our unsurpassed facilities for manufacturing every quantity and quality of Goods pertaining to our line, enable us to offer them at the very lowest prices, and on the most accommodating terms; and we shall continue to adhere to our old principle of

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RAILROAD.

REGULAR TRAINS will commence running in connection with the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad, on the Milwaukee & Horicon Railroad, to Burnett and Hanf Stations, on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1856, and to Waupun, on Monday, the 18th day of February, 1856.

PASSENGERS going North-West, will procure through tickets at the Ticket Office of the La Crosse Road, in Milwaukee.

FREIGHTERS will deliver their freight at the North end of the La Crosse Freight Depot, in Milwaukee, and at Burnett, Hanf and Waupun Stations.

Arrangements have been made with the Wisconsin Stage Company to connect with this road at the North West stations.

AT BURNETT, passengers are within two miles of the Southern Terminus of the Fond du Lac R. R., and, by this route, requiring but two miles staging between Milwaukee and Fond du Lac.

COMFORTABLE CONVEYANCES will be on hand to convey passengers between the two Railroads. JASPER VLIET, *Superintendent.*

Milwaukee, January 29th, 1856. jan30

F. S. COLLINS,

DEALER IN

PARMELEE, MIX & CO.'S MACHINISTS' TOOLS.

BROCKETT & CO.'S SUPERIOR WAGON AND CARRIAGE AXLES,

—AND—

CHARLES BROCKETT'S

Best American and Calebrated English

STEEL-TEMPERED SPRINGS.

78 MARKET STREET.

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500 LBS. WESTERN RESERVE BUTter—at (feb27) BARRON & HOYT's.

25 BUS. NEW TIMOTHY—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

500 LBS. HOLLAND CHEESE—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

25 BBLS. OF SELECTED APPLES—at (feb27) BARRON & HOYT's.

50 BUS. WHITE MESHANOCKS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

5 BUS. WHITE BEANS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

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300 LBS. SUGAR-CURED HAMS—at feb27 BARRON & HOYT's.

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Muslin Draperies, Swiss and Dotted Muslin, Jaconnets,—Cambrics, Linens, Lace Goods, Embroideries;—also, a large stock of Hosiery, &c., &c.

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Broche Shawls at half their value. Shawls which have been sold before for $15 to $18, we can now sell at $10. Double Shawls, sold heretofore for $20, we can sell you at $15. Wool Shawls at half price.

All we ask is, for the Ladies to call and be convinced that they will find GREAT BARGAINS, such as never have been offered before. Call and see that it is true what we have stated. S. ADLER & NEWBOUER,

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FRENCH & BRO'S,

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FRENCH, BRO. & CO.

Milwaukee, January 23, 1856. jan25

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CONFECTIONERY,

AND TOYS,

OF ALL KINDS,

JOHN McEWEN'S,

TOY AND CONFECTIONERY-STORE,

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THE Spring Term of the Woodstock Manual Labor Institute will commence on the first Monday in April next, under the care of J. M. Brown, aided by competent assistants. No pains will be spared to give pupils thorough instruction in all the English branches, as well as the Languages.

TERMS—For English branches $2.00
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Board—One dollar per week, and two hours labor each day for males and females.

☞ Labor is all that will be required of the poor.

The Institute is located 18 miles west from the city of Adrian, and the same distance from Jackson.

P. FOSTER, General Agent

By order of the Board of Trustees.

Woodstock, Michigan, Feb. 12, 1856. feb16

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BERLINER & BRUNO,

Manufacturers of the celebrated

Badger Safes!

Have removed to

No. 221, East Water Street, Milwaukee,

—THESE SAFES ARE—

WARRANTED TO STAND FIRE EVERY TIME

See certificates of Bankers and others.

We can furnish them on short notice and on reasonable terms. BERLINER & BRUNO,

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

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No. 6 and 8, Corner Spring and West Water Streets,

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E. D. CHAPIN. (oct11d1y) W. B. GREGORY

City Directory for 1856--57.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have commenced to canvass the city, and they hope all reliable information will be readily and cheerfully given. We have some 500 subscribers, and desire to increase them to 1,000 and intend to make the work a better one than heretofore published, with the aid of our citizens.

N. B.—We wish it understood that this book will be out in advance of all others.

☞ Advertisers are respectfully solicited.

Removals and changes can be left at the House Furnishing Store of G. L. Davis, 171 East Water Street.

feb19dtf J. M. VAN SLYCK & CO.

BUTTER!

25 FIRKINS CHOICE TABLE BUTTER, for sale cheap. feb25 CHAPIN & GREGORY

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE OPINION OF A LADY,

Who knows Mr. WEVER, and has bought Goods at

WEVER'S

DRY GOODS PALACE!!

—AND—

CARPET ROOMS.

158 East Water Street.

Come to the *Palace*, oh, come there with me,
Where Fashion, [illegible] splendor, still holds her levee.
And somebody tells you that Beauty is sold
To Youth or to Age, in exchange for gold;
And their lady-like charms through life may prolong,
In robes like a Queen's, which sell for a song.
They've Shawls for the taste, and Shawls for the storm,
They've Cloaks which fall softly, so rich, and so warm;
They've Carpets of Wilton, of Velvet, and Brussels;
They've Laces, and Broideries, Ribbons, and Tassels;
They've [illegible] Goods, for the wedding and sad;
They've [illegible] for every and glad;
[illegible]
For those [illegible] come [illegible] to see,
If Palace of Dry Goods, [illegible] grand,
Can be [illegible] land,
[illegible]
This [illegible]

Now [illegible] We [illegible] would [illegible] myself [illegible] Worth and Merit. Thanking sincerely you [illegible] ever commend her respect.

F. M. WEVER,
nov17 158 East Water Street.

SABBATH SCHOOL DEPOSITORY,

165 East Water Street.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS, GIFT BOOKS, &c.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' Scrap Book; Cottages of the Plain; Clara Douglass, or, The Unrequited Love of a Mother; Sketches of Characters for Sabbath School Teachers; Little Missionary, or, Sketch of the Life of Gracia Olive Leonard; Irish Amy, or, the Girl in the Street; Bible Stories for Children; Memoirs of a Doll; Alice Clifford or other Day-Dreams; Life of Adam Clark, LL.D.;—Lilly Brown—Series by the author of "Sunny Side";—Home of the Mariners; Catacombs of Rome; The Great Question, or, Will you consider the Subject of Personal Religion—by Henry A. Boardman, D. D.; Elizabeth Fry, or, the Christian Philanthropist.

Landscape Illustrations of the Holy Land—22 by 27 inches;—1st, The Fords of the Jordan; 2nd The Holy City from the S[illegible]; 3d, The Stronghold of Judea; 4th, The River Jordan. Each print can be sold at 50 cts., or in gilt frame [illegible].

Bird's Eye View of the Holy Land, as it would appear to a person passing over it in the air, colored, 37½ cents; in Gilt Frame, $1.50.

Sabbath School Library, each volume numbered—$2.50, $5.00, $10.00, to $150—the last being a full sett of American S. S. Union's publications.

J. W. VAIL, Agent Am. S. S. Union,
de26dtf 165 East Water Street, Milwaukee.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss. In Probate.
MILWAUKEE Co. COURT, }

In the matter of the Estate of DARIUS DISBROW, deceased.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this Court, by the Petition of Edith Disbrow, Administratrix of the Estate of Darius Disbrow, deceased, that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hand of the said Administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and it is necessary to sell all the Real Estate of the said deceased for the payment of such debts, It is therefore ordered, That all persons interested in the said Estate appear before the undersigned, Judge of the County Court for said County, at the Probate Office, in the city of Milwaukee, on the 30th day of January, 1856, at ten o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any they have, why license should not be granted to the said Administratrix to sell so much of the Real Estate of the said deceased as may be necessary to pay such debts. And it is further ordered, That a copy of the above order be published in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, for at least four successive weeks previous to the day of hearing the said application.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1855.

CHAS. E. JENKINS,
de15d1awow County Judge.

THE WELL-KNOWN OLD FIRM OF
HENRY NIEDECKEN & CO.
No. 243 East Water St., Next Door of Postoffice.

HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE AND most carefully selected stock of

STATIONERY, FLAT and other Paper, *Of Every Kind and Variety.*

Their large stock of

BLANK AND ACCOUNT BOOKS!

Of every description, are all of **their own manufacture,** and are FAR SUPERIOR to those generally sold here of Eastern make. They have also on hand

The Largest Binders' Stock in the State!

Which they offer low for cash to Binders in the country.

Their **BINDERY!**

—AND—

Blank-Book Manufactory,

Is so well known, and enjoys the custom and patronage of the Wisconsin Merchants and Incorporated Companies to such a degree, that the proprietors would only thankfully solicit the continuance of their liberal patronage. Particular attention paid to setts of books and other accessories for

Railroad Co's, Real Estate Brokers, Insurance do., Banks, State, County and City Officers, &c., &c.

HENRY NIEDECKEN, CHARLES GEISBERG.
oct1dly

J. HARDY,

IMPORTER AND GENERAL DEALER IN

SHEFFIELD CUTLERY,

139 East Water Street, opposite the Walker House.

ALWAYS on hand, a full assortment of Ivory Bone, Buffalo and Cocoa handled Table, Dessert and Carver Knives and Forks, Round-of-Beef Slicers, Bread, Butter and Fruit Knives; an endless variety of Pen and Pocket Knives, from one to 32 blades, Razors, Pruning and Budding Knives, Scissors, &c., &c. Imported direct from his son's Manufactory, Sheffield, England. Also, Silver Plated, Albata, and Britannia Ware, Japanned, Brass, and Britannia Candlesticks, Carpenters' Tools, Files, Saws, &c.

N. B.—The celebrated English Cast Steel Muley Mill Saws, which, for quality and durability, are warranted superior to any other now in use. jun14

MILWAUKEE BOARD OF TRADE.

HORATIO HILL—President.
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Arbitrators—G. P. Dewitt, L. H. Kellogg, E. H. Goodrich, W. B. Alvord, John Bradford, H. Fess, Jr., Wm. J. Whaling.

ROOMS, in Furlong's Block, East Water St. ap4dtf

SILVER PLATED WARE.

BLAIR & PERSONS have just opened a large variety of the very newest styles of Silver Plated Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Molasses Pitchers, Napkin Rings, Cake Knives, Pie Knives, Forks, Spoons, &c. &c., manufactured by Rodgers Brothers, the best manufacturers of this kind of goods in the world. We intend to keep a large stock of these goods constantly on hand, and will sell them low.

july13 BLAIR & PERSONS.

COPARTNERSHIP. I HAVE THIS DAY associated with myself in business, Messrs. Lewis E. Jones & Charles R. Jones, for the purpose of continuing the Clothing and Merchant Tailoring business, at the old stand of Rogers & Dinnin, under the name and style of Jones, Dinnin & Jones. JOHN E. DINNIN.

October 23, 1855. oct25

A CARD!

THE UNDERSIGNED would take the opportunity in withdrawing from business, to return his heart-felt thanks to his old friends and customers, for their past favors, and would recommend to your favor the firm of Jones, Dinnin & Jones, as being gentlemen in whom you can place confidence, and who will feel greatly favored with a continuance of your custom.

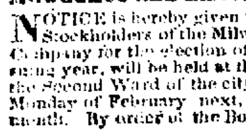
oct25 I. P. ROGERS.

Milwaukee and Lisbon Plank Road Comp'y.

NOTICE is hereby given that next annual meeting of Stockholders of the Milwaukee & Lisbon Plank Road Company for the election of seven Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, in the Second Ward of the city of Milwaukee, on the first Monday of February next, it being the 4th day of said month. By order of the Board of Directors,

L. COMSTOCK,
jan15dtdawtf Sec'y of M. & L. P. R. Co.

New Livery Stable.



HAVING leased the large brick stable of P. Kane & Sons, in the rear of the American House, I am ready, at the shortest notice, to furnish the best of HORSES with Saddles, single or double Carriages, with or without drivers, and those that cannot fail to please.

Apply at the stable, or at the Office of the American House.

july10dtf G. B. KANE.

INSURANCE NOTICES.

Commercial Insurance Co

Office No. 9, Martin's Block, Milwaukee.
CAPITAL $500,000, ($100,000 *PAID IN.*)

THIS COMPANY is now ready to receive application for Marine and Fire Insurance.

We are prepared to take risks on all kinds of Merchandize, Specie, Bank Notes, Bills of Exchange, Jewelry, &c., in transit, by water or land, to or from Milwaukee, or elsewhere. All persons desirous of negotiating Marine or fire risks, are respectfully invited to apply at this office.

DIRECTORS.

William J. Whaling,	Horatio Hill,
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MILWAUKEE INSURANCE AGENCY.

OFFICE

CORNER OF EAST WATER AND WISC'N STS

BERKSHIRE MASS. INSURANCE CO., Pittsfield Mass., Capital $150,000, [illegible], President. J. C. Goodridge, Secretary.

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Insurance effected in the above named Companies

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Office No. 6, Kneeland's Block, Milwaukee.

Insurance effected on Property against

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FIRE, MARINE AND INLAND INSURANCE AGENCY.
A. BADE.

CHICAGO CITY INSURANCE COMPANY!

—OF—

CHICAGO, - - - - ILLINOIS.

CAPITAL, $150,000,

DIRECTORS.

Edmund Canfield, Henry Chapman, Isaac Cook
Turney S. Gilbert, George Hulme.

OFFICERS.

E. Canfield, Pres't. H. Bandt, Sec'y. H. Chapman, Treas.
S. M. GILBERT, General Agent and Surveyor.
nov21

Mercantile Fire and Marine Insurance Company
Patch's Block, Scott St., Covington, Ky.
CHARTERED CAPITAL, - $500,000.

DIRECTORS.

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W. T. Phillips,	D. J. Fallis,	H. Von Phul,
C. Hubbell,	E. B. Bartlett,	C. Welch,
John M. Medary.		

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EXCHANGE INSURANCE COMPANY.
No. 11 Merchants' Exchange, Philadelphia.
CAPITAL, - **$200,000.**

Fire Insurance, Perpetual or Limited, made in town or country, on every description of property.
Inland Insurance, on goods on canals, lakes, and land carriage to all parts of the Union.
Marine Insurance, on vessels, cargo and freight.

JNO. M. HALE, President.
E. P. HINDS, Secretary.

DIRECTORS.

J. P. Weatherill,	J. J. Duncan,	J. H. Lex,
J. W. Riddle,	J. M. Pomeroy,	R. C. Hale.

Office in Preusser's new brick building, corner of Mason and East Water street, where the undersigned will attend promptly to the application of all persons desiring policies in either of the above mentioned Companies. (oct23) A. BADE, Agent.

UNITED STATES INSURANCE CO.
Office No. 2 Martin's Block,
MILWAUKEE - - - - WISCONSIN
CAPITAL $800,000. 100,000 PAID IN

This Company is now fully organized and prepared to transact a General Marine and Fire Insurance business.

This Company will take Risks on all kinds of Merchandise, Specie, Bank Notes, Bills of Exchange, Jewelry, Bullion, &c., in course of Transportation by Land or Water, to and from Milwaukee or elsewhere. Also Fire Risks.

The Patronage of those desiring to effect either Marine or Fire Insurance is respectfully solicited.

DIRECTORS.

S. S. Daggett,	J. A. Helfenstein,
M. Kneeland,	H. L. Palmer,
E. Townsend,	D. O. Dickinson, Wauke
T. R. Roddis,	Chas. E. Wendte,

Samuel Hale, Kenosha.
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MOSES KNEELAND, Vice President.
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H. L. PALMER, Counsellor. mr7dtf

WHITE LEAD.

10 TONS WHITE LEAD, received and for sale by
nov13 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

GLASS.

1,500 BOXES 8x10 AND OTHER SIZES GLASS, for sale by (nov13) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

TIN PLATE AND SHEET IRON!

1,000 BOXES ASSORTED TIN PLATE; 500 bbls Common and [illegible] Sheet Iron—for sale by
nov13 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

TO CARPENTERS!

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED AN ASSORTMENT of Carpenter's Tools—Planes, Plows, and tools of all kinds—Try Squares, Chisels, Guages, and an endless variety of all kinds. Our assortment is larger, and the Goods superior to any sold in this City. Please call and examine at (nov13) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

HOUSE TRIMMINGS!

WE WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION OF HOUSE Builders to our stock of House Trimmings. We have some very elegant goods and a great variety, which we are selling at the lowest figures, at
nov13 HENRY J. NAZRO & CO's

CLOAKS.

RECEIVED by American Express—15 Moire Antique and Black Silk Velvet trimed; 8 Black Cloth, heavy Plush trimmed—superior article. The finest Cloaks we have opened this season.

'Tis generally concluded we keep the only fashionable style of Cloaks in the city.

Dry Goods Palace,
158 East Water Street,
nov22 F. M. WEVER.

LAND OFFICE.

7,000 ACRES of GOOD LANDS selected three and four years ago for *choice farms* in different parts of Wisconsin. For sale by me in quantities to suit purchasers, on time, for cash, *Land warrants* or city property.

A good team and agent in readiness to convey purchasers and exhibit the lands when desired. Office Ludington's Block. W. P. FLANDERS

Milwaukee, April 18, 1853. ap7tf

CITY MARSHALS OFFICE.—The Office of Marshal O'Brien is in Juneau Block directly over Justice Smith's Office.
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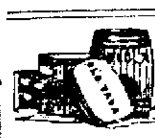
DRY GOODS.



Dutcher & Sexton,

WHOLESALE GROCERY,
103 & 105 East Water Street,

Are now prepared to offer to Merchants, at as low prices as can be bought in any of the Western markets:

350 hhds. N. O. and Porto Rico Sugar,
300 bbls Refined Sugar,
400 bags Coffee,
450 packages green and black Teas,
100 Boxes Tobacco.

And every article necessary to complete a large stock of Groceries.

J. A. DUTCHER. KELLOGG SEXTON.
june20

PLAIN FACTS!

NEW GOODS!!

AT J. C. GRIDLEY'S, 203 EAST WATER STREET,
LUDINGTON BLOCK.

TO THE PEOPLE OF WISCONSIN. *I would say,* that I have just received my Stock of New Goods which consists of nearly every article usually kept in a

DRY GOODS AND GROCERY STORE;

and for quantity, quality, style and variety, is unsurpassed by anything heretofore brought to Milwaukee. In regard to prices, my Motto is "*Cheap as the Cheapest—One Price and One Price only.*" Below we enumerate some portion of articles in our Stock, and would here remark at all and every one about to make purchases, are hereby and herein invited to examine our stock, [illegible] know the facts [illegible]

DRESS GOODS!

A splendid assortment of French and English Merinos, Paramattas Plain, Plaid & Changeable Alpacas, Alpaca Lustres, Lustred Poplins, Cashmeres, Mouse De Laines, Black and Blue, Black and Colored Silks, Ginghams and Prints in *endless variety.* Drawer Goods—Plain, Plaid and Striped Swiss Muslin, Plain, Plaid and Striped Jaconet do., Mull and Book Muslins, (Bishop Lawns, Linen Cambric, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Irish Linens, Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins. Hosiery and Gloves. Ladies' Merino, Worsted, Cashmere, Silk and Cotton Hosiery, Gents' Woolen Merino, Linen, Cashmere and Cotton ½ Hose, Half Hose, Ladies' and Gents' Black, White and Colored Kid Gloves, do do Silk, Merino, Cashmere, Cotton and Lisle Thread Gloves.

Shawls in Great Variety!

Long and Square, of Cashmere, Brocha, Mous De Laine, Crape, Silk, &c., Mantillas, Visettes, Beautiful Silks, and a splendid assortment of colors and qualities of Ladies' Cloths for Cloaks, &c. Rich Colors in Plaid Stripes, &c., for Children's Clothes.

DOMESTIC GOODS!

Brown and Bleached Sheetings and Shirtings, Canton Flannels, *Plaid and Plain Linseys,* Bed-Ticking, Red, White and Yellow Flannel, Apron Checks, Denims, Ginghams, Stripe Shirtings, Blue Jeans, Brown and Bleached Cotton Table Diapers, [illegible] and Russia Diapers, Brown Bleached and Colored Jeans, Bagging, Seamless Bags, Cotton Batts, Wadding, Cotton Yarn, Burlaps, Crash, together with Hop Sacking Cloths, &c., &c., all of which I will sell cheaper than ever! In order to convince the public that I mean all I say, I will enumerate some Goods and annex Prices: Good Brown Shirtings 4½ cents; Good Stripe Shirtings at 10c; Kentucky Jeans at 25 cts.; Blue and Orange Prints at 6c. On hand, 2,000 pieces Prints at 6¼ cts. per yard, as good or better than others sell for one shilling. *Call soon for Bargains.*

GROCERIES!

I can say, *at all times,* can be had at my Store, GOOD TEAS—Young and Old Hyson, Hyson Skin, Oolong; Imperial, Gunpowder, and several Grades Black Teas. I guaranty to sell as good Young Hyson for 4s 6d as others sell for 5s. Good Sugar for 7 cents per lb., Molasses for 3s. per gal., Coffee 1s. per lb., and Spices, &c., proportionally low.

Also, on hand, for Medicinal purposes, **Brandies and Wines,** of pure vinous virtue, warranted unadulterated, Tobacco, Snuff, and Superior Spanish Cigars.

Pickles, Jellies, Syrups, Pickled Oysters, Lobsters, &c.

I am agent for MINER & HORTON'S

CELEBRATED PLOUGHS,

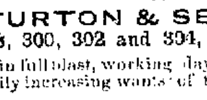
From Peekskill, N. Y., of which I have always a full assortment on hand, with all the castings to match, and do not hesitate to say, that all who have used them approve and will use no others. I exhibited one of M. & H.'s Improved Plough at our recent State Fair, and was awarded by the Committee a Premium on it as the Best Plough on Exhibition for the purposes intended. Farmers and others are invited to call and see it; also to examine our assortment of Agricultural Implements.

I am very much obliged to my Friends, Customers and the Public for past Patronage, and will endeavor, by strict attention and a straightforward course, to retain their confidence, and notwithstanding reports to the contrary, I intend to remain and consider myself permanently located at the *LUDINGTON BLOCK, No.* **203** *East Water St.,* where I are invite to call, secure examine for yourselves.

JOHN C. GRIDLEY.

Milwaukee, Oct. 18, 1854. oc18dtfawo

THE OLD EAGLE GOING IT WITH A RUSH

The  **Eagle**

STEAM FOUNDRY

OF

TURTON & SERCOMB,

296, 298, 300, 302 and 304, West Water Street

IS still in full blast, working day and night to supply the daily increasing wants of the Badger and other States.

In order the better to do this the proprietors have erected a large brick Foundry in addition to their former premises. They have added to their stock of Tools large Planeing Machine or Shaping Machine, three Lathes, and a machine for making bolts, and are now putting in a Steam Engine of — horse power to drive the whole, thereby adding to their former facilities for the successful carrying on of the Foundry, Machine, Engine and Blacksmithing business. They never were in a better position for doing business, and defy competition in any department.

In regard to the character of the work got up by this *The Oldest Establishment in the State,* the Proprietors refer to that in successful operation through the country as their best recommendation, will can speak for itself. All they can say is, that they are both PRACTICAL MECHANICS, and know how work should be done as well as the next man. They continue to manufacture **Flour and Saw Mill Gearing and Steam Engines,** on the most approved principle.

They have always on hand a large stock of BRASS WORK, such as *Gauge and Cylinder Cocks, Oil Cups, Cocks, and Steam Whistles.* Also *Turton's Files,* which they will sell at the lowest cash prices.

They are also Agents for *Eastman's Patent Steam Gauges,* which are well worth the attention of all who use Steam Engines.

In conclusion, they invite a continued share of the patronage of their old friends, and solicit a call from all those in want of Saw or Flouring Mill Work, assuring them that no exertions will be spared to render the Old Eagle worthy of the reputation it has already gained.

Their motto is, "*Excelsior.*"

THOS. TURTON, } PROPRIETORS
JOHN SERCOMB, }

P. S. To those friends who have forgotten they owe us, we would say, hand over the dimes, we want cash to pay the printer.

Milwaukee, June 27.

THE BEE HIVE:
146
EAST WATER STREET.

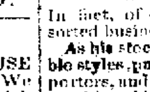
JACKSON & LUXTON,

ARE NOW OPENING
AN ENTIRELY NEW LARGE AND
VARIED ASSORTMENT OF FALL
Embroideries, Laces, Hosiery, White Goods, and CHILDREN'S WEAR,

To which general attention is particularly invited.

Milwaukee, August 16, 1855. aug16

CHARLES PREUSSER.



TAKES PLEASURE IN ANnouncing to his friends and customers, and the Public generally, that he has removed to his new and elegant store, built by him expressly for his rapidly increasing business, on the corner of East Water and Mason streets, opposite the Walker House and Post Office, where he is receiving almost daily additions to his large stock of

Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Fancy Goods.

In fact, of everything usually to be found in a well assorted business of this kind.

As his stock is all new, of the latest and most fashionable styles, purchased direct from manufacturers and importers, and will be sold at a very small advance, he flatters himself that both Prices and Goods will give general satisfaction.

The repairing of Watches and Jewelry will be as heretofore, under my personal superintendence, and I have engaged help enough to do all work with dispatch.—Thankful for the kind patronage so liberally bestowed upon me during the past eleven years by the Milwaukee Public, my friends and customers may be assured that no effort of mine will be wanting, to merit a continuance of the same. (nov21a97y) CHAS. PREUSSER.

MAGNIFICENT PIANO FORTES MELODEONS,
AND OTHER MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!
—AT—
H. HEMPSTED'S MUSIC STORE,
No. 175 East Water Street,
Chickering & Sons, Boardman, Gray & Co.'s,
And other Celebrated Pianos, at the
LOWEST PRICES.

Every instrument WARRANTED TO PROVE SATISFACTORY. dec24

PARLOR COAL STOVES!

JUST RECEIVED—a new supply of that beautiful Franklin Coal Burner. They are the handsomest pattern yet, and the best Coal Stoves for Parlor use.

nov 6d H. A. FOOTE, & .
153 East Water Street.

DRY GOODS.

CLOTHS AND READY-MADE CLOTHING!
TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

THE undersigned, at his BRICK STORE, No. **126** EAST WATER ST., just below the Banking-House of Wm. J. Bell & Co. keeps on hand an EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT of

Cloths and Ready-Made Clothing,

and everything to be found in the *MOST EXTENSIVE CLOTHING AND FURNISHING STORE in the West,* for sale CHEAP, at wholesale or retail.

Country Merchants and all others will do well to call and see before purchasing elsewhere, as he buys his goods *for cash,* and at rates which enables him to sell as cheap as the cheapest.

He employs the *best workmen,* and garments of all kinds will be made to order on the shortest notice.

Remember the Place—**No. 126 East Water St.**
jun2dtf S. ADLER.

CLOTHING!

HURRAH FOR THE FALL OF 1855!

Good News for Anybody and Everybody.

STEIN BROTHERS,
WITH THEIR NEW
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Milwaukee, August 22, 1855. sep12dtf

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Drugs, Medicines, Paints, and **Oils. Pure Wines** and **Liquors,** for medical purposes, **Brushes** and **Dye Stuffs,** FRENCH AND AMERICAN **Window Glass, Dental and Surgical Instruments.**

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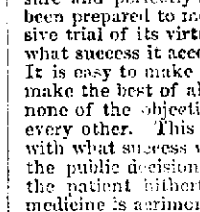

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We are fully posted, having a large assortment of the most celebrated manufacturers in Europe, such as Bidley & Son, Nelson, Wolfing & John, &c., all of which are warranted both for service and color. In

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We have a large assortment of the most chaste and beautiful patterns. Our assortment of Velvet, Silk, Plush, Cashmere, Merino and Silk Vestings, cannot be surpassed in any market. In

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We have a large line, and of superior quality. *Also, traveling Shawls and Blankets.*

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We can show you a large stock of the latest and most desirable styles. Also, **Boys' Clothing.**

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We wish to call the attention of Gentlemen to the fact that we have made arrangements with a French shirt house in New York, and that by leaving their measure with us we can furnish them with that desirable article, a good shirt, *that will fit.*

In our Custom Department, we are prepared to give our customers the advantage of the latest and most fashionable styles, and we would here state that the Parisian style of *dress* this fall is decidedly neat and plain. We shall give particular attention to all orders left with us in this department, and invite all to call and look through our stock. sep26

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NEW FIRM,

AND

NEW GOODS.

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(LATE FIRM OF ROGERS & DINNIN.)

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THE "BADGER STATE" SALOON TRIUMPHANT!

Roll away, roll away, roll away all.
Set up the pins, boys, the price is but small;
Off with the coat, now, and roll up the sleeve,
And at it, my jolly lads—heave away, heave.

With the arm's muscles bare, for one hour, fling
Dull care to the air, and at five cents a string;
Roll away, roll away, hearty and strong,
'Twill develope the man, and his life thus prolong.

Who would sit moping all day in his chair,
When pleasure and profit, so rich and so rare,
Can be had, and that, too, at such a cheap rate,
At the Bowling Saloon of the old "Badger State."

Come, then, "Young America," foreigners, too,
Here's rolling and bolling—not just for the few,
But for old and for young, for little and great—
Come join in the fun at the old "Badger State."

Entrance both on Main and East Water Streets.

Look for the Red Light.

jan26 PHILLIP LAWRENCE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, } ss
MILWAUKEE Co. COURT, }
In Probate.

In the matter of the final settlement of the Estate of CARL BECKMAN, deceased.

On this 11th day of February, 1856, upon reading and filing the application of Joseph Ody, Administrator of the Estate of Carl Beckman, deceased, praying for a final settlement of his accounts as such Administrator, and that a day might be fixed upon, which to bring in his final accounts. It is ordered, that said application be heard before me, at the Probate office, in the city of Milwaukee, on the 5th day of March, 1856, at 10 o'clock A. M.; and it is further ordered, that notice of said application and hearing be given to all persons interested, by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks, once in each week, in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in said city, prior to said hearing.

CHARLES E. JENKINS,
feb12d3wow County Judge.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

PROTECT your Meters from freezing by having your cellar windows shut and glass renewed. Wrap the Meter up in an old blanket or woolen carpet, until we can send round to fill them with whiskey.

W. W. CLARKE,
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